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AFTER THE FACTS AT SUGAR PROBE

Committee Inquires Into Havemeyer Deal Regardless of Strong Protest.

ATKINS CLOSELY QUESTIONED

Disclaims Direct Knowledge of Pennsylvania Transaction—Much Talk of Beet Sugar Industry. "Pointed" Questions.

Washington, June 12.—Ruling that the facts, regarding which former officers of the American Sugar Refining Company, including former Secretary Charles R. Heike, are under indictment and awaiting trial, are essential to the inquiry, the House Committee of Investigation into the so-called sugar trust affairs today required acting president, Edwin E. Atkins, of the company, to answer questions regarding its attempts to acquire the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining Company at Philadelphia.

Counsel James M. Beck, for the company ineffectually appealed to the committee not to go into this matter on the ground that former officers of the company are awaiting trial in November on a charge of conspiracy to acquire the Pennsylvania property and that their interests would be prejudiced if the committee prejudged the case.

Chairman Hardwick and the committee overruled this obligation, saying the committee was directed to investigate every phase of the company's operation, adding that there was no intention of prejudicing the case.

Mr. Atkins testified he had no direct knowledge regarding the Pennsylvania transactions which he said, was negotiated under the presidency of Henry O. Havemeyer. He said he protested years ago to Mr. Havemeyer against the policy of the company acquiring beet sugar plants. The company officials point out that the company has undergone a thorough change of management and of policy since the Havemeyer regime.

Discussing the relations between the company and the beet in Mr. Atkins said: "I asked Mr. Havemeyer if it was to be his policy to build up the beet sugar industry at the expense of a cane sugar refining industry. His answer was evasive and I told him that if that was to be his policy I would sell my stock in the American Sugar Refining Company. I subsequently did sell considerable of my stock."

Asked why he was opposed to the company extending into the beet sugar field, Mr. Atkins declared he foresaw in the Western field a beet sugar industry growing which would become a formidable competitor of the American Company and, as an investor, he did not think it a good proposition to aid a rival enterprise to a position where it would have important results upon the industry, that he was financially interested. Mr. Atkins stated that he did not know at the time he talked to Mr. Havemeyer that the former head of the sugar trust, already had invested in Western beet sugar concerns.

Mr. Atkins stated today that the American Sugar Refining Company's stock is scattered all over the globe, with 19,359 stockholders in November, 1910. The average individual holding of stock was said to be less than 50 shares and more than 9,500 shareholders own ten shares or under.

Mr. Atkins submitted a statement which among other things discussed the government litigation against the company, saying:

"In the bill brought by the government to dissolve the company no act of any officer of the company since January 1, 1908, is even alleged as being in restraint of trade. Many of the averments in the government's bill are either inaccurate or have reference to transactions ended prior to January 1, 1909, or adjudged as lawful in the proceedings brought in 1892 by the government against this company, in which the United States Supreme Court sustained the legality of the company as then constituted.

"Since this decision of the Supreme Court the company has in expanding the production of sugar and promoting commerce therein, acquired stocks in various beet sugar companies.

"The company has a reasonable confidence that the validity of these holding will be sustained as in expansion rather than in restriction of trade."

The statement sets forth that the stockholders of the American Sugar Company include executors, guardians, churches, Christian organizations, banks, mortgage investment companies, orphan asylums, hospitals, etc.

Lexington, Va., June 12.—In the annual regatta today by Washington and Lee University crews, Harry Lee (Red) won over Albert Sdney (Blue), by three lengths. The winners will meet Virginia club at Richmond on June 24th.

"Twilight."

Beautiful new ballad sung by Mr. Harry Tally—Grand Theatre today.

COTTON DAMAGED BY DROUGHT

New Crop Futures Open Dollar a Bale Higher at New Orleans—Plants Reported to Be Going Backward — Details.

New Orleans, June 12.—Continued drought and high temperatures put the price of new crop cotton a dollar a bale higher as soon as the new week opened in the local future market. Heavy buying for both accounts was the result of the dry weather map and countless private reports from the belt, all pointing to more intense conditions even than those that have been putting the market up of late.

Hardly a drop of rain was shown in cotton country on the weather map. Mobile, Ala., reported .08 of an inch; Meridian, .10; Raleigh, N. C., .02 and that was all. The forecast promised no rain for tomorrow except in North Carolina and the long distance forecast for the week said: "Generally fair weather indicated for the cotton belt during the coming week."

It was claimed last week that crop deterioration had set in as the result of the lack of moisture and this morning's reports complained that the crop was commencing to go back in a markmanner in some sections. Brokers, even those who lean to the bear side, said that continued fair weather would mean an excited and advancing market.

On the first call the new crops were 15 to 16 points up. Soon after, they were 19 to 21 points up. October stood 20 points up, or a dollar a bale at 13.61. This is the highest level since last Winter. The old crop months were comparatively inactive. The interest of the market is chiefly centered in the new crop.

WOULD COLONIZE VAGRANTS.

Address of Robert W. Hebbard at the Boston Conference.

Boston, June 12.—"Colonize vagrants" was the dictum of Robert W. Hebberd, secretary of the State Board of Charities of New York, as delivered in an address before the National Conference of Charities and Correction here this morning.

Mr. Hebberd said:

"The question of vagrancy has thus far been carelessly and inadequately dealt with in this country. Despite the experience of a number of European countries and their success in dealing with this problem, we are just awakening to a realizing sense of its importance. Vagrancy has long existed in this country to an alarming extent, and is in an acute stage in some of our cities, notably in New York, where it seems impossible to stem the advancing tide. The cheap lodging house evil greatly helps to foster it and the magistrates are in most cases not alive to its importance. That much of it is due to enfeebled mentality requiring custodial care seems to be beyond question. But how to secure such care is really the problem.

"The only feasible plan, and this plan is one that has worked successfully in Switzerland, Germany, Holland and Belgium, is that of the industrial colony to which vagrants can, upon conviction, be committed for long terms. An interesting account of the colony at Witzwil in Switzerland, written by Prof. Frank A. Fetter, of Cornell University, who visited it last Summer, is to be found in the February 4, 1911, number of the "Survey," and is well worth reading.

"To care for vagrants in farm colonies where they can be made to contribute to some extent, at least, to their own support seems to be a most desirable plan. Those who are willing to work will be received and cared for, while those who fear work will remove to other parts where they are more welcome. The State that is forehanded in this respect will have the advantage.

"It is estimated that the care of vagrants and tramps in penitentiaries, jails and workhouses in New York State, where they are kept practically in idleness, costs at least $2,000,000 annually, much of which could be saved under the industrial or farm colonp system properly administered. It is believed, too, that the saving in character, by the removal of these unfortunates from the idle life and degrading influences in the penitentiary, the jail and the workhouse would be of even greater importance.

"For several years a little group of people in New York have been seeking to secure legislation looking to the establishment of the farm colony system for vagrants in New York State, but progress has been delayed because of the attempt of the State to live by indirect taxation, which has prevented it from going ahead with this and other measures of social reform requiring the expenditures of large means."

LARGEST AMERICAN BANK.

Continental and Commercial National Bany of New York.

Chicago, June 12.—Following several consolidations of several banks since 1905, the Continental and Commercial National Bank today became the largest bank in the United States as to resources, by taking over the Hibernian Bank. Official announcement of the latest acquisition was made today by George M. Reynolds. Total assets of the bank are $265,000,000. The total deposits of the consolidated bank reach $223,270,200. Since 1907, the Continental National and the Commercial National, which merged last winter, have taken over the International, the Globe National, the National of North America and the American Trust and Savings banks.

MANY KNOWN DEAD IN SEVERE STORM

Fifteen Virginia Fishermen Drowned and Property Loss is Heavy.

SWEPT OVER A LARGE AREA

Great Havoc Wrought in Baltimore and Newport News—Five Killed in New York—Unable to Estimate Damage.

Newport News, Va., June 12.—Sweeping out of the Southwest with cyclonic velocity, a wind, rain, hail and electrical storm struck the lower end of the Virginia peninsula late this afternoon and left a trail of death and ruin in its wake. At this hour it is impossible to even estimate the number of dead for many small craft with their human freight went down in the storm at various points along the James river and in Hampton Roads. Conservative estimates tonight place the dead at not more than 15. None of the bodies has been recovered and nothing is known here of the identity of the missing people as most of them were fishermen from distant counties along the James.

Great havoc was wrought in this city, houses being unroofed, trees, wires and telegraph poles being blown down. Half a dozen vessels moored at piers here broke away and nearly all were damaged. At the ship yard, the submarine Seal was struck by a schooner and badly disabled and the schooner rammed a hole in the Old Dominion liner Jamestown. Roofs of shops at the ship yard also were torn away, scaffolding around ships in course of construction on the stocks were blown down. Part of the metal covering on the side of the Chesapeake & Ohio elevator B, also was blown away.

Rough estimates place the property loss and damage from the storm at upwards of $100,000.

So many live wires fell in the city that it was necessary to cut off all electric current and the entire peninsula, including Newport News, Hampton and Phoebus, are in total darkness tonight.

Five Dead in New York.

New York, June 12.—Five dead, five missing and a property loss of nearly $1,000,000 is the result of a two-day storm, which has raged intermittently in New York and environs. Weather predictions indicate that the storm may continue today. The torrential downpours have been a boon to the depleted reservoirs, ten days' supply having been accumulated in the Croton watershed.

Lightning played a strange prank at Clason Point, on the sound, last night, striking a revolving Ferris wheel, which carried several passengers, was thrown from its axis, and stuck fast. The lightning blinded the passengers and there was a panic. Several women attempted to leap from the wheel but were restrained. The passengers were taken down on ladders rigged together.

Several silk mills in Paterson, N. J., were unroofed. Streets were flooded in several New Jersey towns, trees uprooted and cellars filled with water.

At Norfolk.

Norfolk, Va., June 12.—From 4 o'clock this afternoon until 9 o'clock tonight, Norfolk experienced its worst electric storm in two years. Hundreds of telephones were put out of commission, trolley cars were tied up for an hour and a half, the electric power houses were rendered helpless to furnish lights to the city for nearly two hours, several houses were struck by lightning and at least one life was lost. The various fire companies answered seven alarms during the storm.

The new high school was struck by lightning, but was not seriously damaged. There were a number of students in the building at the time, and the crash caused considerable excitement, but no one was injured.

Casey's broom factory on Highland avenue was struck by lightning and partly destroyed.

A small boat in which a negro man and his small son were fishing, capsized by the storm this afternoon. The boy was drowned. Two men are reported to have been drowned in Hampton Roads when their boat capsized, but this report lacks confirmation.

Seven electric trains on the Norfolk & Southern were rendered helpless during the storm, their controllers burning out.

More than an inch of rain fell, and it is said that this was worth half a million dollars to farmers in Norfolk and Princess Anne counties.

The potato crop was almost ruined for want of rain and today's downpour saved the day.

New York Reports Damage.

New York, June 12.—The electrical storms, such as have raged intermittently over New York and vicinity during the last 48 hours, with great damage from lightning, wind and flood, were reported to the immediate west and north tonight.

A terrific storm struck Baltimore at dusk and telegraph companies re-

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ATTACK UPON TARIFF SYSTEM

Congressman Redfield Held Attention of House Yesterday—Criticises American Tariff Board—Talk of Conditions.

Washington, June 12.—An attack upon the protective tariff system by an American manufacturer, who claimed to have studied labor and manufacturing conditions in many countries of the world, held the close attention of the House of Representatives for two hours today. Representative William C. Redfield, of Brooklyn a new Democratic member, a manufacturer of machinery and long connected with export trade, declared to the House that American manufacturers are abandoning the protective principle as unnecessary as they develop more scientific management of their own plants as now carried out in the more advanced American factories.

"The protective tariff has simply enabled American manufacturers to sell at such high prices that they have not studied their own conditions closely," said Mr. Redfield.

"They have relied on government support, rather than upon close business management. Its effort has been to stimulate the development of plants until they are now so large that products must be sold abroad. In this condition the manufacturers no longer want to pay the high prices necessary for material under a protective tariff."

Mr. Redfield declared that instead of foreign labor being cheaper American labor is really the cheapest in the world; that from exhaustive personal investigation in many parts of the world, he knew that no labor produced as much product, in proportion to the wages it received, as American.

He said "the American laboring man only wants to be freed from old restrictions and out-grown systems."

Mr. Redfield attacked the Republican principle of a tariff "equal to the difference in cost at home and abroad."

He said it was impossible to determine this difference in cost, because of higher quality of American labor, and varying factory conditions.

"The American Tariff Board is worthless unless empowered to call for the cost sheets of the factories engaged in the line of manufacture it is studying," said Mr. Redfield. "Give it that power, and see what a howl goes up from the American manufacturers. The truth is that often the American cost of production is lower."

FIGHT TOBACCO OFFICIALS.

Resolution Introduced in House Urging Criminal Prosecution.

Washington, June 12.—Following the refusal of Attorney General Wickersham today to furnish to the House information as to whether criminal actions are being prepared against officials of the American Tobacco Co., Representative Byrnes, of Tennessee, introduced a concurrent resolution directing Mr. Wickersham to proceed at once against these officers under the criminal section of the anti-trust laws. The information which Mr. Wickersham refused was asked in a resolution introduced by Mr. Byrnes. Mr. Wickesham replied that he did not believe it "compatible with the public interest" to make public the plans of the Department of Justice.

Today's resolution names the 29 individual defendants in the American Tobacco Company case recently prosecuted by the Department and the American Tobacco Company and all its subsidiary companies. The individual defendants are: James B. Duke, Caleb C. Duke, Percival S. Hill, Geo. Arents, Paul Brown, Robert B. Duke, George A. Helme, Robert D. Lewis, Thomas J. Maloney, Oliver H. Payne, Thomas F. Ryan, Robert K. Smith, George W. Watts, George G. Allen, John B. Cobb, William R. Harris, William H. McAllister, Anthony M. Brady, Benjamin N. Duke, H. M. Hannah, Herbert D. Kingsbury, Pierre Lorillard, Rufus L. Patterson, Frank H. Ray, Grant B. Schley, Charles Strotz, Peter A. B. Widener, Welford C. Reed and Williamson W. Fuller.

BIG LIQUOR SEIZURE.

Nearly 10,000 Gallons Captured and Proprietor Arrested.

Asheville, N. C., June 12.—The largest seizure of liquor yet recorded in this section was made tonight at Hendersonville, when the police raided a store room on the main business thoroughfare and seized 10,000 gallons of liquor. There is no "search and seize" law in Henderson county, but tonigat's raid was made under the provisions of a special ordinance passed by the aldermen Friday night. The alleged proprietors of the place, O. N. Carson, was arrested and placed under bond to appear in the mayor's court Friday morning. Carson, it is said, is but the agent for the real owners of the wet goods.

OUTLINES.

New York markets: Money on call steady 2 1-4 to 2 1-2 per cent., ruling rate 2 3-8, closing bid 2 3-8, offered at 2 1-2; spot cotton closed quiet, middling uplands 16.90, middling gulf 16.15; flour was quiet and lower to effect sales; wheat post week, No. 2 red 93 3-4 elevator and 94 3-4 fob afloat; oats spot esteady, futures closed nominal; rosin quiet and turpentine easy.

Y. W. C. A. FORCES IN ASHEVILLE, N. C.

Much Interest in Yesterday's Session of Southern Conference.

IN THE MISSIONARY FIELDS

Returned Missionary Tells of Conditions in China—Blue Ride Association at Black Mountain — Features Sunday.

Asheville, N. C., June 12.—Much interest was shown in today's session of the Southern Conference of the Y. W. C. A., when Miss Welthy B. Honsinger, a returned missionary from China, described the many dangers and hardships she encountered during her ten years of missionary work in China.

She declared that there is a large field for American missionaries in that country. Miss Mary D. Bardebieben, of Nashville, Tenn., discussed the home mission field.

At tonight's session W. D. Wetherford, of Nashville, Tenn., member of the International Board of the Y. W. C. A. movement, outlined the plans of the Blue Ridge Association, at Black Mountain, and dwelt on John D. Rockefeller's donation of $50,000 thereto.

The feature of yesterday's programme was the address of Dr. R. of Richmond, Va., to the missionary students. His subject was "Loyalty."

A vesper service was conducted on the lawn of the Normal and Collegiate Institute in the afternoon by Miss Augusta Brown, of New York City.

A student volunteer meeting was scheduled for this afternoon.

It is believed that all the delegates to this year's conference have arrived, bringing the total over four hundred.

A large list of speakers from various sections of the country, makes the programme of the present meeting one of the strongest in the history of the conference.

TAKES ISSUE WITH SPEAKERS.

Mrs. Amigh Opposes Plans in Regard to Seggregating Criminals.

Boston, June 12.—Issue was taken with some of the speakers who have appeared before the National Conference of Charities and Correction here this week by Mrs. Ophelia L. Amigh, superintendent of the State Training School for Girls of Illinois. Mrs. Amigh said that she is opposed to the plan of permanently segregating all of the defective criminals of the country. "I believe," she said, "that many an irresponsible can be made to understand that there is a right and a wrong side to every question, and while it may take a long time to make this idea penetrate the defective mind, it is well worth trying, and then, under good supervision, they may become useful in the world. This training should be commenced in early childhood, and an effort made to prevent this class from ever reaching the prison or penitentiary.

"I think it is more humane to train and educate to usefulness and activity even though it may take more time and patience and strenuous measures than would be necessary to allow this stupid class to sit passively down and allow the world to pass by and gaze unthinkingly on their untaught inactivity. For those possessed of mental proportions large enough to allow them to plan all kinds of wrong doing from wrecking a bank to buying their way into the Senate, committing crime against person and property, down to the pickpocket, the word at large is inclined to be too lenient. And from this leniency spring riots and lynch law, which looks and sounds bad for our United States.

TWO HELD FOR MURDER.

Result of Coroner's Jury Verdict in Strange Norfolk Case.

Norfolk, Va., June 12.—The coroner's jury investigating the case of Harry O. Harding, whose decomposed body was a week ago found buried in an onion patch in the rear of the "Masons' Creek Cottage" of Mrs. Minnie L. Murdock, late today returned a verdict, "that Harry O. Harding came to his death by having his skull crushed by an axe or other blunt instrument in the hands of Minnie Lee Murdock or Charles Merkle, or both of them."

Mrs. Murdock and Merkle are held for trial charged with the crime.

TO RE-ORGANIZE LEAGUE.

Will Straighten Tangle in South Atlantic League.

Augusta, Ga., June 12.—At a meeting of the directors of the South Atlantic League here today it was decided that the league will be re-organized and put on a more business-like basis. A new season will be started after the games of Saturday of this week.

It has been decided that the club in the league which does not observe the salary limit, after being served with due notice, will forfeit its franchise. Augusta remains in the league under new management.

LORIMER IS READY TO FIGHT

Willing to Appear Before Committee in Own Behalf—Retains Judge Hanecy Again—Aldrich Consents to Appear.

Washington, June 12.—Senator Lorimer, of Illinois, will remain in Washington until the vote is taken on his case following the investigation of his election when he will return to Chicago. He announced his willingness to appear before the committee in his own behalf whenever the committee fixes a date. The Senator is preparing to fight the case vigorously. He said today he has retained as his counsel former Judge Eabridge Hanecy, who looked after his interests in the previous Senate investigation.

Subpoenas for a number of prominent men to testify here in the new Lorimer investigation have been issued and a special officer from the office of the Senate, Sergeant-at-Arms, is now on his way to Chicago to serve them. It is understood that among the men to be summoned are Lee O'Neill Browne, Democratic leader in the Illinois House; Edward Hines, president of the Edward Hines Lumber Company, of Chicago; Edward Tilden, whose name was connected with the $100,000 fund alleged to have been collected for use in electing Senator Lorimer, and Clarence S. Funk, an officer of the International Harvester Company, whose disclosure of an attempt to have his corporation subscribe to the alleged fund was a feature of the investigation by the Illinois Senate.

The Lorimer Investigating Committee has not yet definitely fixed a day for its next meeting.

Aldrich Will Appear.

Providence, R. I., June 12.—Former U. S. Senator Nelson W. Aldrich tonight said he would appear before the Lorimer Investigating Committee at Washington. Senator Aldrich was invited by the committee to testify within a week or ten days and tonight he sent the following telegram to Sergeant-at-Arms Randall, of the Senate:

"It will not be convenient for me to appear before the committee within ten days, but I will come as soon as I can. A subpoena will not be necessary."

HEARING OUSTER SUITS.

Action Against Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association.

Kansas City, Mo., June 12.—Curtailment of lumber production in 1904 by the Southern Lumber Manufacturers' Association was not a scheme to control nor advance, but a business measure to avoid loss by depreciation, needless insurance and other expenses, according to the testimany offered today by former President R. A. Long, of the association, at a hearing of the Missouri ouster suit against the alleged lumber trust.

"There were many reasons for curtailing the production," Mr. Long said, "especially of yellow pine, which our companies produce. It meant the piling up of lumber that we could not sell and putting into it the cost of labor which was about $7 to $8 a thousand feet. That investment naturally would lie idle and would not be good business. It would mean the increase of taxes and insurance from $10,000 to $15,000 a year for each mill.

"Yellow pine timber depreciates when it remains in piles for a long time. Good business demands that yellow pine lumber be not produced faster than it can be marketed.

"By reason of so much public clamor, and I might say prosecution or persecution of the lumber trade, the dealers are denied the privilege of cooperating to save much of the forests. If the manufacturers of lumber dared to act together they could produce conditions that would conserve about 20 per cent. of the lumber of the forests that is now going to waste.

"By reason of this agitation the prices of lumber are so demoralized and the dealers are operating so much at cross purposes that about 20 per cent. of the logs are left in the forests to decay and become unproductive. Under present conditions it is impossible to work smaller and less desirable logs and manufacturers leave them and take only the logs that can be worked at a profit. The natural result of this is to deplete our forests much more rapidly than would be the case if these smaller logs were used."

NEEDED WORSE IN SOUTH.

A Stable, Sound Fnancial System, Says Congressman.

Atlanta, Ga., June 12.—"No part of the union needs a stable, sound financial system so much as the States of the South," declared Congressman F. B. Vreeland, of New York, vice-chairman of the National Monetary Commission, in addressing a banquet tendered to him by the business men of this city tonight, at the Capital City Club.

"The South needs a financial system that will furnish an abundance of capital at reasonable and steady rates," continued Mr. Vreeland, "and this is especially pronounced in the cotton States. Great has been the development during the last 20 years, but much greater will be the development in the years to come."

Mr. Vreeland pointed out the serious effects of the periodic business convulsions that have swept the country, and declared his belief that the American people are now convinced these money panics are due entirely to our defective banking and currency systems."

SENATE IN FAVOR DIRECT VOTE PLAN

Resolution For Popular Election of Senators is Finally Passed.

BRISTOW AMENDMENT WINS

Gives Federal Government Supervision of Such Elections—Debate Lasted Several Hours — Interest in Otucome.

Washinton, June 12.—The Senate tonight by 64 to 24 passed the resolution amending the constitution to provide for the election of Senators by direct popular vote. The Bristow amendment giving to the Federal government supervision of such elections, was adopted 44 to 44, the Vice President casting the deciding ballot. The House already has passed the resolution.

Senator Reed, of Missouri, protested against the Vice President casting his deciding vote. An amendment by Senator Bacon qualfying the Bristow amendment to prohibit Federal supervision of election unless the State Legislature refuse or fail to act; was defeated 46 to 43. The resolution as amended was then finally adopted 64 to 24.

The debate on the resolution looking to the direct election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people began shortly after noon. It soon drifted into a political affair. Democratic senators criticised Senator Bristow's change of attitude. Mr. Bristow framed the principal amendment, in the nature of a subsitute to the main proposition and he sought to continue the supervision of Senatorial elections in Congress instead of delegating it to the States as proposed by the House resolution. In the last session the Kansas Senator voted against an amendment offered by Senator Sutherland, of Utah, which would have had the same effect as his own provision of this session.

Mr. Bristow said that in both instances his attitude had been decided by his desire to do that which most certainly would insure the success of the population election resolution. Mr. Borah, in charge of the resolution, spoke in support of it, and Mr. Bacon opposed the Bristow amendment.

Mr. Stone, of Missouri, arraigned Mr. Bristow as "snatching the amendment" from Mr. Sutherland. Mr. Bristow said he first believed the measure would be stronger without the provision and now believed it would be stronger with it.

Mr. Davis, of Arkansas, arraigned Mr. Bristow. Referring by name to Senators Cummins, Clapp and LaFollette, he declared "the insurgent crowd never had been sincere on any subject they have brought before the country."

The chair called Mr. Davis to order, Mr. Cummins denied Mr. Davis' statement of an alleged instance as untrue. Mr. Bristow refuted the charge, saying that only under great provocation "would he pay any attention to what the Senator from Arkansas said."

Mr. Bacon aroused feeling by declaring that great interests had been bringing enormous pressure to bear to defeat the resolution. Senators Works, Guggenheim and Cummins arose to refute the allegation. Mr. Bacon explained that he was imputing no impropriety to any member.

The alleged defection of the progressives was scored by Senator Reed, of Missouri, who declared the conversion of Mr. Bristow to Senator Sutherland's viewpoint was "because of the negro vote in Kansas."

ARE AFTER THE C., C. & O.

Hawley Declares This the Purpose of Chesapeake & Ohio.

Spartanburg, S. C., June 12.—The persistent rumors of the last few months that the Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad was to lease or acquire control of the Carolina, Clinchfield & Ohio Railway, was practically confirmed with the qualification that the Seaboard Air Line is also interested in the deal, upon the arrival in Spartanburg over the Clinchfield road Sunday night of a party including Edwin Hawley, Frank A. Vanderlip, President George W. Stevens, Vice President Decatur Atell, Frank Trumbull, chairman of the board, and other directors of the Chesapeake & Ohio, and S. D. Warfield, formerly one of the receivers of the Seaboard Air Line. They were accompanied by M. J. Caples, vice-president and general manager, and L. H. Phettplace, general superintendent of the Clinchfield.

One of the local entertaining committee mentioned to Mr. Hawley that it had been rumored that the Chesapeake and Ohio was going to take over the Clinchfield.

"That's what we are here for," said Mr. Hawley.

London, June 12.—The Duke of Westminister received serious injuries in a polo game at Roehampton today. In a collision with Lord Wodehouse, he was thrown heavily to the ground. His collar bone was fractured and several ligaments torn. Lord Wodehouse was not hurt.

SPORTING NEWS

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NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Brooklyn, 2; Pittsburg, 4.
At Cincinnati, 3; New York, 1.
At Chicago, 6; Boston, 5.
At St. Louis, 4; Philadelphia, 8.

Sunday Games.

At Chicago, 20; Boston, 2.
At New York, 5; Cincinnati, 0.
At Philadelphia, 5; New York, 6.

Standing of the Clubs.

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Chicago	31	18	.633
New York	31	19	.620
Philadelphia	31	20	.608
Pittsburg	27	22	.551
St. Louis	26	23	.531
Cincinnati	24	27	.471
Brooklyn	18	32	.360
Boston	12	39	.235

Chicago, June 12.—Brown and Reulbach were both wild, but Chicago managed to win over Boston 6 to 5, with the assistance of errors, and regain first place in the pennant race, New York losing to Cincinnati.

Chicago	100	031 001	6 10 1
Boston	100	021 010	5 9 2

Reulbach and Graham; Brown and Raridan; time 1:48; umpires Klem and Emslie.

St. Louis, June 12.—Philadelphia fell on Harmon in the sixth inning and scored seven runs, winning the game 8 to 4. The locals' fielding was ragged.

Philadelphia	100	007 000	8 8 1
St. Louis	200	200 000	4 9 6

Alexander and Dooin; Geyer and Harmon and Bresnahan and Bliss; time 2:00; umpires Rigler and Finneran.

Pittsburg, June 12.—In one of the fastest games played at Forbes' field, in point of time, Pittsburg today defeated Brooklyn by a score of 4 to 2. The local team made 10 hits, six of which were for extra bases. Camnitz was steady from first to last.

Pittsburg	001	200 01x	4 10 3
Brooklyn	001	000 100	2 8 1

Camnitz and Gibson; Berger and Erwin; time 1:35; umpires Eason and Johnston.

Cincinnati, June 12.—Keefe's pitching backed by some brilliant fielding was too much for New York today and Cincinnati won 3 to 1, reducing New York to second place in the pennant race. Bates was hurt in a collision with Merkle and Ames at first base, and Clarke was sent to the bench for objecting to Umpire Brennan's call of balls and strikes.

New York	000	010 000	1 6 1
Cincinnati	000	012 00x	3 7 3

Raymond, Ames and Myers; Keefe and McLean and Clarke; time 1:55; umpires Brennan and O'Day.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Results Yesterday.

At Washington, 0; Chicago, 4.
At New York, 4; Cleveland, 1.
At Boston, 4; Detroit, 5.
At Philadelphia, 3; St. Louis, 0.

Sunday Games.

No games scheduled Sunday.

Standing of the Clubs:

Club:	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	37	15	.714
Philadelphia	30	17	.638
Boston	26	22	.542
Chicago	24	20	.545
New York	24	22	.522
Cleveland	20	31	.392
Washington	17	33	.340
St. Louis	16	34	.320

Washington, June 12.—White was a puzzle to Washington today, Chicago winning the game 4 to 0. Clever catches were made by McBride and Street, while Brodie drove the ball over the center field fence for a home run.

Washington	000	000 000	0 7 0
Chicago	100	100 002	4 11 0

E. Walker and Street; White and Sullivan; time 1:35; umpires Egan and Sheridan.

New York, June 12.—Cleveland tried a young pitcher named James from Toledo against the Highlanders today and he did splendidly, though his team was beaten 4 to 1. Three of the five passes he issued were cashed at the plate. Ballard Birmingham starred in the field.

Cleveland	000	000 001	1 4 3
New York	001	002 10x	4 4 3

James and Land; Quinn and Sweeney; time 1:46; umpires Connolly and O'Loughlin.

Boston, June 12.—Detroit defeated Boston 5 to 4 in a brilliant game today. Cobb's hitting was one of the features, his two doubles driving in three runs.

Boston	100	010 200	4 10 1
Detroit	001	011 200	5 14 2

Hall and Nunemaker; Willett and Casey; time 1:50; umpires Mullen Evans.

Philadelphia, June 12.—Philadelphia today defeated St. Louis 1 to 0. With one out Baker singled. On a short passed ball Baker ran to second and was struck on the head by Clark's throw. Derrick ran for Baker and scored on Murphy's single.

St. Louis	000	000 000	0 1 2
Philadelphia	000	000 001	1 5 2

Pelty and Clarke; Coombs and Lapp. Time 1:30. Umpires Doneen and Perrine.

EMERSON SLUGGERS.

Pounded Bladen Springs Twirler Unmercifully Saturday—The Score.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Emerson, N. C., June 12.—Emerson's bunching hits in the third and ninth innings in sufficient numbers to count 11 runs enabled them to take the last of the series of three games from Bladen Springs, the score in the last game Saturday being 13 to 2. Savage's curves possessed no terrors for the locals, who Jack Johnsoned him all through the game. The absence from the game of some of Emerson's best men was the cause of their losing to the Bladen Springers in Friday's contest. Porter did the honors at the receiving end in faultless style for the locals. The score:

Emerson	016	000 105	13
Bladen Springs	001	000 100	2

Batteries: Nye, Porter and Clark; Savage, Priest and Wooten.

"Twilight."

Beautiful new ballad sung by Mr. Harry Tally—Grand Theatre today.
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Read the Business Locals.

Virginia League.

At Roanoke 1; Richmond 4.
At Danville 3; Norfolk 2.
At Lynchburg-Portsmouth, rain.

Carolina League.

At Spartanburg 1; Charlotte 5.
2nd: Spartanburg 2; Charlotte 6.
At Greensboro 6; Greenville 1.
At Anderson 1; Winston-Salem 8.
2nd: Winston-Salem 0; Anderson 6.

Appalachian League.

At Asheville 6; Morristown 5.
At Bristol 6; Cleveland 5.
At Johnson City 6; Knoxville 11.

South Atlantic League.

At Jacksonville 8; Savannah 9.
At Macon 4; Columbia 1.
At Columbus 5; Augusta 4.
At Albany-Charleston, rain.

Southern League.

At New Orleans 3; Atlanta 8.
At Birmingham 13; Nashville 2.
At Montgomery 7; Memphis 4.
At Chattanooga-Mobile, not scheduled.

Eastern League.

At Providence 1; Newark 9.
At Toronto 1; Buffalo 4.
At Montreal 6; Rochester 5.
At Baltimore 2; Jersey City 1.

American Association.

At Minneapolis 10; Columbus 2.
At St. Paul 5; Louisville 8.
At Milwaukee 5; Indianapolis 8.

BURNS PROVE FATAL.

Mr. Wm. F. Hufham Died at the Hospital Yesterday Afternoon.

Mr. Wm. F. Hufham, who was so seriously burned while fighting a forest fire which was raging near his home at Keith's last Sunday was a week ago, and brought here the following day for treatment, died at the James Walker Memorial Hospital at 3:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon as a result of the burns. Practically no hope was held out for the young man's recovery from the first, but everything possible to restore him to his health was done. He was 21 years old and is a son of Mr. M. F. Hufham, residing near Currie in Pender county. Besides his father the young man is survived by two brothers, Messrs. R. S. and G. J. Hufham, of Pender county; six sisters, Misses Vihna, Jennie, Alice and Phra Hufham, of Currie; Mrs. Helen Woodcock, of Atkinson, and Mrs. Mary Anderson, of Wilmington, who have the sympathy of a great many friends in this and Pender county. The body was removed yesterday afternoon to the funeral parlors of Mr. W. E. Yopp and will be taken today to the family home, where the funeral and interment will occur.

CHILDREN'S DAY OBSERVED.

Grace Church Sunday School Renders Pleasing Programme.

Children's Day was observed Sunday morning by the Sunday School of the Grace Methodist Church in a very appropriate manner. The programme rendered proved very entertaining to the large audience. The exercises, in their order, follow: Processional; prayer; song by the school; "Children's Day," recitation by Margaret Kelly; responsive reading; song; recitation by Harry Webb; "Garlands for Children's Day," Minnie Louise Perdew; Mary Louise Stover, Eugenia Hardeman, and Lucile Burkheimer; recitation by Stewart Rogers; "Doing Things," recitation by Dorothy Boone, Dorothy Davis, Annie Capers Hazelden, Madge Cavanaugh and Edna Nelms; "God's Love," recitation by Blanch Rogers, Louise Munson, Ida Morse, Lucy May Land, Thelma Webster, Myrtle Smith, Margaret Kelly, Effie Boone, and Laura Tucker; "The Children's Friend," Orrie Rembert, Florence Galloway, Alberta Creasy, Louise Davis, Sadie Davis; recitation by Elizabeth Powell; offering and song; remarks by the superintendent.

PYTHIANS TO ASHEVILLE.

Local Members to Attend Meeting in the "Land of the Sky."

Wilmington will be well represented at the annual meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias, Domain of North Carolina, which will convene in Asheville today for a three days' session. The delegation left yesterday afternoon in a special Pullman car via Columbia, S. C. Among those who arranged for Pullman accommodations for the trip are: C. McD. Jones, Clarendon No. 2; J. W. Little, Stonewall, No. 21; S. Behrends, Germania, No. 4; A. S. Holden, Jefferson, No. 61; Mr. Scoggins, Delgado; Capt. Thomas D. Meares, Grand Master of Exchequer, Supreme Lodge of the United States; Thomas D. Meares, Jr., Esq., District Deputy Grand Chancellor; Mr. Bell, Southport Lodge; W. Love, Cronly Lodge; Walter Vick, Council's Lodge; Mr. Tucker, Whiteville Lodge; Mr. Ramsbottom, Chadbourn Lodge; W. D. Sprott, Cerro Gordo Lodge; W. G. Cooke, Fair Bluff Lodge; G. Herbert Smith, Cronly Lodge.

PROPERTY OWNERS TO MEET.

Will Decide What Kind of Pavement is Wanted on Front.

A meeting of the property owners on Front street, from the union station to the north side of Castle street, and all business men of the city has been called to be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock for the purpose of determining the kind of pavement the Council will be asked to put down on Front street, the improvement of which will be begun in a short time. The property owners want a substantial paving but want something not quite so noisy as vitrified brick, which is understood to be favorably considered by some members of the Council. It is expected that the meeting tomorrow afternoon will be largely attended.

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COUNTY BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Regular Monthly Meeting Yesterday. Winter Park School.

The regular monthly meeting of the County Board of Education was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon with Mr. Chas. E. Taylor, Jr., presiding in the absence of Chairman J. O. Carr, and in attendance were Mr. D. J. Fergus, the other member; Prof. Washington Catlett, county superintendent of public instruction, and Mr. H. McL. Green, county treasurer. There appeared before the board Mr. L. D. Latta and Mr. George Jackson, representing the residents of Winter Park Gardens, the largely populated and rapidly growing suburb, and asked that a new school district be created of that immediate vicinity and that a teacher be employed, the citizens themselves to provide the place in which to hold school for the first year. It was stated that the Baptist church now in course of construction, could be secured by the citizens in which to hold the school. The citizens did not desire the erection of a school building yet awhile, but would rather wait a year or longer and have erected a nice brick building. It is felt pretty cerain that in a short time Wilmington will be built up to Winter Park and then large brick school buildings will be needed. The members of the board present seemed to be very favorably impressed with the proposition to furnish the residents of the suburb a school teacher, but action will not be taken until the July meeting when there will probably be a full board present. The books of the county treasurer for the past month were audited, after which the board adjourned.

CHURCH PLANS RECEIVED.

Church of Good Shepherd Will Soon Have New Building.

Detailed plans and specifications for the erection of a house of worship by the Church of the Good Shepherd have been received and it is expected that the work on this handsome structure will begin as soon as the contract has been awarded the successful bidder. The congregation expects to occupy the new building inside of six months.

The building will be modeled after the old English style of architecture and will have a seating capacity of 400 people. The church will be fitted with transcepts, choir room and organ loft, and a fine pipe organ will be installed. The specifications call for a brick structure with stucco finish, with a tall steeple at the entrance of the church. The plans were drawn by the well known New York firm of Upjohn & Conabel and the blue prints give promise that the structure will be one of the handsomest churches in the city.

It is expected that bids will be advertised for in a few days and that contracts will be let during the next two weeks. Mr. James H. Burris, a vestryman of the Church of the Good Shepherd, and a prominent contractor, will give the work his general oversight.

With the completion of the new house of worship, the Church of the Good Shepherd will be as completely equipped with buildings as any other church in the city, as it already has halls for religious and educational purposes and a rectory for the rector, Rev. Thos. P. Noe.

BECOMES MEMBER OF FIRM.

Pender County Boy Who Has Rapidly Advanced in Raleigh.

Many friends in this section of the State will be interested in an announcement in the Raleigh News and Observer of a recent date that Mr. H. A. Bland, Jr., long with the firm, has become a member of J. M. Broughton & Co., the oldest and most firmly established real estate and insurance agency in the capital city. Mr. Bland is a Pender county boy, reared in the old Moore's Creek section and a son of Mr. H. A. Bland. The News and Observer says:

"In this deal, it is felt, both parties are to be congratulated. The firm of J. M. Broughton & Co., is the oldest real estate company in the city. They have as their chief asset a remarkably successful business career, their criterion being "Not a bad title or a dissatisfied customer." They also do a good fire insurance business, representing some of the front-rank companies.

"Mr. Bland is a hustling young business man, of sterling character. He has been employed for several years by his firm and is well versed in real estate and fire insurance matters.

"The firm name remains as before, and the many friends of Mr. Bland will be delighted by his advancement in Raleigh's business life."

Crow Optical Company.

The Crow Optical Company, of which Dr. J. J. Crow is the general manager, has secured rooms in the old Seaboard Building, on Front street, from the owner, Mr. T. W. Wood, and will soon begin the manufacture of optical supplies. The machinery for the company is now being installed and it is said will be in working order in a few days. It is stated that it will not now be necessary to send lenses away to be ground, as this can be done here.

—Mr. W. C. Vick, of Councils, was in the city yesterday on his way to Asheville to attend the meeting of the Grand Lodge, Knights of Pythias.

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MR. J. E. RHODES DEAD.

Coast Line Engineer Passed Away at Hospital Yesterday.

Friends in this city where he has resided for the past six months were pained yesterday to learn of the death of Mr. J. E. Rhodes, locomotive engineer for the Atlantic Coast Line, who passed away at the James Walker Memorial Hospital Sunday night. Death was caused by a complication of diseases. Mr. Rhodes and family moved to Wilmington about six months ago from Augusta, Ga., and during their residence in this city made many friends who deeply sympathize with the bereaved widow and young daughter. Mr. Rhodes became ill with malarial fever some days ago and a complication soon arose which caused his death. The body was sent yesterday to Augusta, Ga., where the funeral and interment will take place today.

DISPOSES OF INTEREST.

Mayor Smith to Retire from Real Estate and Insurance Business.

It is currently reported on the streets that the firm of Smith & Lord, the well known and progressive real estate and insurance agents, will dissolve partnership, Mayor Joseph D. Smith disposing of his interest to Mr. F. A. Lord, the other member of the firm, who will continue the business at the present place, No. 120 Princess street. Since his election to the office of chief executive of the city, Mayor Smith has not been in position to give much of his time to his private business, therefore it is said that he decided to dispose of his interest in the firm with which he has been actively connected for some time. Mr. Lord, it is understood, will continue the business, both branches of which are growing, at the same place.

TO MEET AT WRIGHTSVILLE.

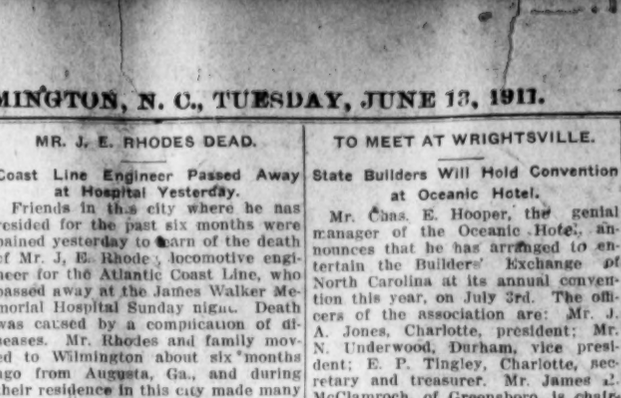
State Builders Will Hold Convention at Oceanic Hotel.

Mr. Chas. E. Hooper, the genial manager of the Oceanic Hotel, announces that he has arranged to entertain the Builders' Exchange of North Carolina at its annual convention this year, on July 3rd. The officers of the association are: Mr. J. A. Jones, Charlotte, president; Mr. N. Underwood, Durham, vice president; E. P. Tingley, Charlotte, secretary and treasurer. Mr. James L. McClamroch, of Greensboro, is chairman of the entertainment committee and will look after the social side of the convention.

The State organization has invited the South Carolina builders to meet with them this year and while the answer has not yet been received it is expected that the exchange from the Palmetto State will accept.

Real Estate Transfers.

Deeds were filed for record yesterday as follows: James A. Hewlett and wife and others to John C. Wagner, Sr., and wife, for $100 and other considerations, 9.9 acres of land in Masonboro township, adjoining lands of Wm. Patton, Wm. McLaurin and F. F. Floyd; C. Ed Bonder and wife to Dr. John C. Wessell, for $100 and other considerations, lots in block 503, known as "Greenwood," being lots 1, 2, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, and 17 and southwest corner 15th and Nun streets, lot 17 on south side of Nun, 99 feet from 14th street, 33x82 1-2 feet in size, lot 22, on north side of King, 132 feet from 14th, 33x82 1-2 feet in size, lot 19, on south side of King, 165 feet from 14th, 33x82 1-2 feet in size; lot 31, on south side of King, 66 feet from 14th, 33x82 1-2 feet in size.



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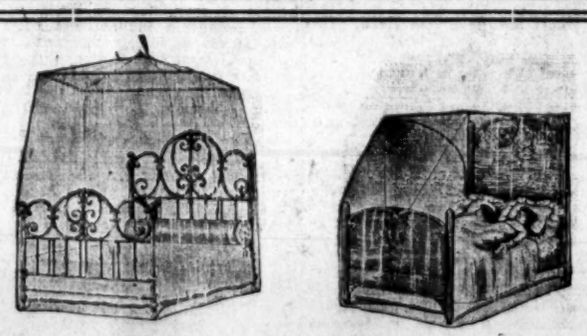

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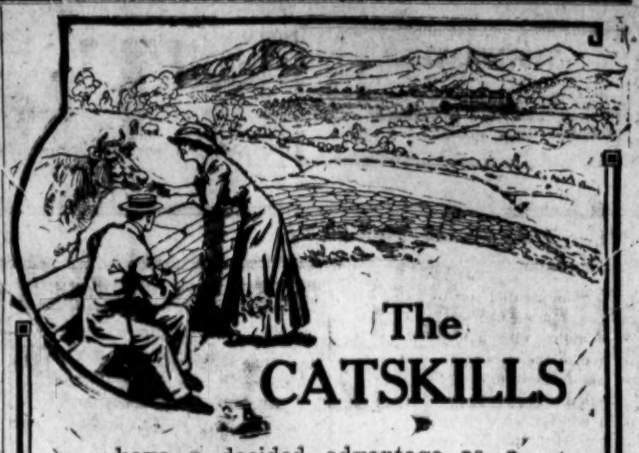

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DESTROUCTIVE FIRE AT APEX

Town Almost Wiped Out—Young Man Fatally Injured Boarding an Engine—Other News at the State Capital.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 12.—The thriving town of Apex, eight miles from Raleigh, where the Southern and Seaboard Air Line railroads come together for parallel run to Raleigh, suffered a $50,000 fire this morning that well night wiped out the business section of the town, and was the cause of one fatal injury.

Graham Herring, an Apex young man, serving as a telegraph operator at New Hill, saw the fire at his home town and attempted to board a passing freight train going to Apex. The train was moving at a good speed when he went to swing himself on a car and he lost his hold and fell under the train, one leg being ground off under the wheels and other injuries sustained from which there is no possibility of his recovery according to statements made from Rex Hospital here where he is being treated.

The fire started about 1 o'clock this morning in some old frame buildings owned by The Apex Land Co., and occupied by J. W. Jinks, produce and meat market and Smith's barber shop. It was insisted that there had been no fire in either place for some time and there are those who claim incendiary origin for the fire without any direct clues to guilty parties. The fire spread rapidly to buildings occupied by the Merchants' & Farmers' Bank, H. C. Olive & Co., W. H. Harward Co., the Baucom Drug Store, the store of R. J. Bowling, and the residence of S. V. Hudson, postmaster. The town is without a water system and the people devoted their efforts mostly to getting goods and furnishings out of buildings as they became endangered. The biggest mercantile stock burned was Harward & Co., $10,000. In the bank everything was gotten out that was not protected by the time lock vault. Most of the losses were fairly well protected by insurance except the old buildings of The Apex Land and Investment Co., in which the fire started. The insurance on these expired very recently and were not renewed because they were to be torn down to give place to new buildings.

After nine months service of a twelve months sentence to the Guilford county work house, Joe Andrews, a painter, receives from Governor Kitchin a pardon at the request of the county authorities and numerous citizens. It is represented to the Governor that during Andrews' imprisonment he has repainted the county home and other buildings constituting the premises and saved to the county at least $300 by his service. His health is said to be failing.

Chief Justice Walter Clark and members of his family have gone to Morganton for the funeral of his little grandson, Master Joseph Erwin, Jr., who died Saturday, aged 15 months.

A summary of reports from the weather observatories in this State for May shows that the average rainfall for the months was only 1.21 inches—the lowest on record, the next lowest having been May, 1903, when the total rainfall was 1.99. The rain fall for the State since January 1st has been deficient, the definiciency in Raleigh being 9 inches. Rains the past few days in many parts of the State have greatly relieved an alarming situation.

Governor Kitchin this morning heard W. C. Feimster and L. C. Caldwell, attorneys, in the interest of the granting of a pardon for John Raider, who has served seven months of a two-years sentence in Catawba county, for burning a warehouse of a knitting mill at Newton. Raider made a statement as to the burning to the effect that he burned the place, but that he was hired to do so by his employer, Carpenter, who was afterwards acquitted. The warehouse was oned by Carpenter.

Governor Kitchin left this afternoon for Blacksburg, Va., where he will on Wednesday deliver the address for the commencement exercises of the Virginia Military Institute.

Adjutant General Leinster issued a commission today for Z. P. Smith, secretary of the Fayetteville Chamber of Commerce, promoting him first lieutenant, Co. B, Third Infantry, Raleigh, to captain the ordinance department of the Third Regiment.

A charter is issued for The University Supply Co., Chapel Hill, capital $20,000 authorized and $6,000 subscribed by W. C. Lloyd and others for mercantile business.

Chairman Franklin McNeill and Commissioner W. T. Lee, of the Corporation Commission, have gone to Lexington where they today heard citizens and the Southern Railway Co. on the question of requiring the railroad company to construct an over pass in connection with street improvements. From Lexington they go to Rutherfordton to look into a contest over the question of providing a union station. They they go on to Saluda for a session Thursday involving an effort on the part of citizens to have the location of the depot changed and have additional side track facilities provided.

Col. W. L. DeWitt arrived from Franklin, Macon county, to enter the Soldier's Home, having been paralyzed for a year or longer. He was a valiant Confederate soldier and was for a long time active and successful in business. However, long illness has so drained his resources as to necessitate his coming to the Soldier's Home.

Raleigh, N. C., June 12.—The business section of Apex, this county, was swept away by fire today. Seven stores and the two banks were destroyed. Lightning striking a restaurant started the fire. The loss will be about $60,000.

The losses in detail through the Apex fire, are as follows:

W. H. Harward's department store, $15,000, insurance $7.00.

N. C. Olive Co., merchants, $6,500, insurance $4,500.

A. C. Baucom's Pharmacy, $6,500, insurance $4,500.

Merchants and Farmers' Bank, $3,000, insurance $2,000.

P. J. Olive, law office, $1,500, insurance $750.

Dr. J. C. Mann's office, $400; insurance $250.

Dr. R. W. Johnson's office, $400, covered by insurance.

J. R. Norris, insurance office, $150, no insurance.

Chas. Weaver, furniture, $50, no insurance.

S. V. Hudson, residence, $2,000, insurance $800.

Pate & Co., damage to stock of goods, $1,750, covered by insurance.

Smith's barber shop, $200, no insurance.

Watkins Seymore Co., loss of goods on lot $400, no insurance.

S. T. Bennett, gents' furnishings, damage to stock $1,000, covered by insurance.

B. H. Pate, building $750, no insurance.

M. R. Gunter, near beer stand, $1,000, no insurance.

Pressing Club, $1,000 no insurance.

Atwater's barber shop, $150, no insurance.

Jenks' meat market, $500, no insurance.

Evans' restaurant, $200, no insurance.

G. L. Kemp, jewelry store, $300, no insurance.

Apex Bottling Works, $1,000, no insurance.

Mason building $760, insurance $500.

R. J. Bolling, groceries, $1,100, insurance $500.

DEVELOPMENT OF COLUMBUS.

More Drainage and Railroad Talk—Summer Resort Business.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Whiteville, N. C., June 12.—With the Trans-Continental Railway assured, the railway to Bladenboro a certainty, and the draining of White Marsh and its tributaries, a very great future hangs over Whiteville and Columbus county. Those in close touch with Col. Jones say that the Trans-Continental will enter Columbus county at Boardman, leave Evergreen a short distance to the right, pass within about three-fourths of a mile of Whiteville, and skimming Vineland on the outskirts, cross the Waccamaw river about Reaves' Ferry. It will develop a magnificent section of country, and be worth millions to Columbus and Brunswick counties. Our people are now ready to give Col. Jones all the aid in their power.

It is an open secret that certain capitalists in this section have pledged themselves for enoubh money to build the road from Bladenboro to Southport, and it will be a race between the Trans-Continental and that line as to which enters Southport first.

There are 115 men behind the scheme to drain White Marsh and its tributaries, and they have made a bond of $1,500 to pay for surveying and preliminary work. When this marsh is drained and brought into cultivation it will be worth more than all the rest of the cultivated acreage of Columbus county at this time. The canal will extend 30 miles, reaching from the Atlantic Coast Line crossing into Bladen county, some five miles above Clarkton. The land owners are particularly unanimous for this drainage district, and work will start next Fall in earnest cutting the canal. The marsh will average about one mile broad, and much of the soil has a commercial value of from $5 to $7 per ton as a fertilizer, being the richest marl. This marsh was once covered by the ocean, as proven by the sea shells found a few feet beneath the surface, and this deposit is covered with the decomposed vegetable matter of ages. These marsh lands were once given away, but now that they are to be drained, their value is going up by leaps and bounds. Hon. Jomes M. Shipman says enough timber and poles can be cut from this swamp and floated down the canal to the railroad to pay the cost of ditching and bringing it into cultivation twice over.

Several families from Whiteville and this section are arranging to spend the Summer at Myrtle Beach. The hotel there, under the management of the Messrs. St. John, is highly complimented. Large crowds go every Sunday to Wrightsville and Myrtle Beaches. Some half dozen families will Summer at Wrightsville Beach.

DROWNING AT NEWBERN.

Greensboro oung Man and Companion Lost Lives Sunday.

Greensboro, N. C., June 11.—I. C. Morris, a prominent contractor and builder, received a telegram tonight informing him that his son, Hubert Morris, was drowned in Neuse river near Newbern. The telegram gave no particulars, but in a long distance telephone conversation later Mr. Morris learned that his son went out from Newbern this morning with a boat excursion party and he and another young man were drowned about fifteen miles from Newbern this afternoon. Their bodies have not been recovered.

Mr. Morris left tonight for Newbern to aid in the search for the body of his son, who was superintending for his father the erection of a fine residence for J. B. Blades at Newbern.

Hubert Morris was only 22 years old and his sad ending comes as a great shock to his relatives and friends here. When his body is recovered it will be brought to Greensboro for burial.

Newbern, N. C., June 12.—The body of young Morris was found by searchers this afternoon and was brought to this city by his father, who arrived from Greensboro. The body will be shipped to Greensboro tomorrow morning. The body of Willey, companion of young Morris, has not yet been found and the search is being continued.

EXCURSION FARES TO THE EAST.

The following low round-trip rates from Wilmington are announced: Washington, $16; Baltimore, $18.00; Philadelphia, $22.80, and New York, $26.00.

Stop-overs allowed at any point en route within final limit (October 31), on both the going and return journeys.

For reservation 'phone 160.

ATLANTIC COAST LINE.

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GOOD ROADS FOR PENDER.

Election Called for July 25th—The Northeast River Bridge.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Rocky Point, N. C., June 12.—The most important work done by the Pender Commissioners at their regular meeting on the first Monday was the call for a Good Roads election to be held July 25th, and the following good men of Pender county were appointed delegates to the good roads convention to be held at Winston-Salem June 11th-14th. J. T. Foy, Geo. W. Meeks, J. E. Herring, W. W. Alderman, Jas. F. Moore, W. H. Brown, D. J. Corbett, Jr., J. Q. Bell, J. P. Hawes, Lauchlin McNeill and J. T. Bland, all of whom it will be hoped will attend and learn what is being done in other sections of the State, and will come home urging their friends and neighbors to get in the van of progress and place Pender where she ought to be.

Our people are anxiously awaiting a movement towards erecting the Northeast river bridge. Unless something tangible takes place, and that very soon, it is feared that the good roads movement will not get the support it should. A recent survey claims that only .4 of a mile is gained by taking the site west of the railroad bridge, whereas from Rocky Point at the intersection of the road from Lane's Ferry to Summerhouse branch is an air line of two miles. The present road then takes an angle to the east to the present ferry, over sand hills and through swamps. From the bend of the road near Summerhouse branch has been surveyed a road direct in an air line to the river at or near the fortifications thrown up during the Revolutionary war and known as "the old fort." No sand hills, but a bluff on each side of the river up to Castle Haynes farm, and on an air line with Prince George's creek bridge, or approximately a few rods west of the bridge. By using this route all grade crossing are avoided (three in all between Smith's Creek and Rocky Point.)

From reliable information we learn that the bridge will be built wide enough for a trolley line, pedestrians and vehicles, and should it cost more than the old ferry route the rental from its use as a trolley bridge will more than compensate for extra cost. With the understanding that the structure is not for a year and a day but for one of continuance, it behooves all those in charge to bear all matters well in mind before making a final decision as to where it shall be located.

VALUE OF COTTON CROP.

Exceeds That of Any Ever Produced in United States.

Washington, June 12.—The cotton crop of 1910 was announced today to be the most valuable ever produced in the United States. Estimated in the census bureu's annual bulletin, the crop last year was valued at $963,180,000 compared with $812,090,000 for 1909.

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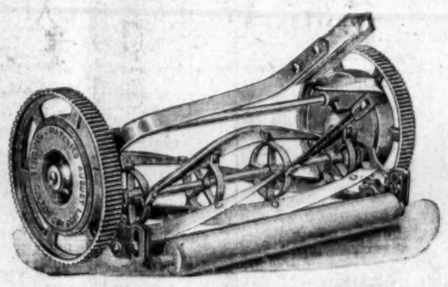

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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective May 28, 1911. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90, ! 3:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Southern Railroad. (Leaves Norfolk 5:35 P. M.).	No. 91, x 1:00 A. M.
No. 51, * 5:45 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Columbia and Asheville. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.**	No. 50, * 11:50 P. M.
No. 64, ! 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 65, ! 6:50 P. M.
No. 48, * 8:40 A. M.	Goldsboro, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains with Pullman Service.**	No. 49, * 6:35 P. M.
No. 53, * 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville, Sanford and Greensboro.	No. 52, * 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, * 3:15 P. M.	Chadbourn, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, **All Florida Points,** Columbia, Asheville and the West. **Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.**	No. 54, * 1:40 P. M.
No. 62, ! 3:25 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 63, ! 12:50 P. M.
No. 59, * 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and intermediate Stations.	No. 60, * 10:15 A. M.
No. 68, x 6:45 P. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No. 69, x 10:15 A. M.
No. 42, * 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Norfolk, Washington and New York. **Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.**	No. 41, * 9:45 A. M.
No. 57, * 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and intermediate Stations.	No. 58, * 8:30 A. M.

* Daily. ! Daily except Sunday. x Sunday only. a Daily except Monday.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

W. J. CRAIG, Passenger Traffic Manager. T. C. WHITE, General Passenger Agent. WILMINGTON, N. C.

To the Beach

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

IN EFFECT JUNE 3RD, 1911.

WEEK DAYS:

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	6:05 A. M. 7:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
6:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
10:00 A. M.	12:15 P. M.
4:00 P. M.	6:15 P. M.
7:00 P. M.	8:15 P. M.

Freight Depot open daily, except Sunday, from 8 A. M. to 1 P. M., and from 2 P. M. to 7 P. M.

SUNDAYS.

Leave Wilmington:	Leave Beach:
7:00 A. M.	7:15 A. M.
8:30 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:00 P. M.	7:45 A. M. 9:15 A. M. and every half hour thereafter until 11:45 P. M.
12:00 P. M.	

FREIGHT.

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PULLMAN SERVICE.

Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.		* 7:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, A. C. L.		10:05 p. m.
Ar. Wilson, A. C. L.		11:00 p. m.
Lv. Wilmington, A. C. L.	15:50a.m.	*3:25pm
Ar. New Bern, A. C. L.	9:15am	6:50pm
Lv. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	*7:15am	*10:15pm
Lv. New Bern, N. S. R. R.	9:30am	12:30am
Lv. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	*8:20am	*11:30pm
Lv. Wash'gton, N. S. R. R.	10:50am	2:20am
Ar. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	3:35pm	8:00am

SOUTH BOUND.

Lv. Norfolk, N. S. R. R.	9:00 p. m.
Ar. Goldsboro, N. S. R. R.	6:20 a. m.
Ar. Wilson, N. S. R. R.	5:05 a. m.
Ar. Wilmington	9:45 a. m.

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For reservations, address W. J. Williams, T. A., Wilson; F. W. Tatem, G. A., Goldsboro; T. M. Bennett, T. A., New Bern.

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SUMMER SCHEDULE

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in effect from June 1, 1911. Leave Wilmington daily except Sunday for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9 A. M. and for Carolina Beach at 2:30 P. M.

SUNDAYS:

Leave Wilmington for Carolina Beach and Southport at 9:00 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., and for Carolina Beach at 7:30 P. M.

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Trains Leave Wilmington, Effective Nov. 6th, 1910.

No. 45—5:00 A. M.—For Hamlet, and intermediate points to Charlotte, connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for Raleigh and points North.

No. 39—3:40 P. M.—For Charlotte, connecting at Hamlet with through trains for Atlanta, Birmingham, Jacksonville, Norfolk, New York, and trains in all directions. Arrive Hamlet 7:40 P. M.; leave Hamlet, 8:00 P. M.; arrive Charlotte, 10:50 P. M.

Trains Arrive at Wilmington:

No. 40—12:20 P. M.—From Charlotte.

No. 44—11:50 P. M.—From Charlotte and intermediate points.

No. 45 connects at Hamlet with No. 66, for all points North; at Monroe, with No. 53, for Atlanta.

No. 39 connects at Hamlet with No. 41, for Atlanta, Birmingham and Memphis. No. 64, for Washington and New York; No. 62, for Portsmouth, Norfolk, and No. 43, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville.

Parlor car service will be maintained between Wilmington and Charlotte on No. 65, leaving Wilmington at 3:40 P. M., and No. 40, arriving at Wilmington at 12:59 P. M.

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Lv. Durham	7:00 a m	5:30 p m
Lv. Lynchburg	2:40 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Cincinnati	7:20 a m	6:25 p m
Ar. Columbus	6:45 a m	6:55 p m
Ar. Chicago	5:00 p m	7:30 a m
Ar. St. Louis	6:33 p m	8:30 a m

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Tuesday, June 13, 1911.

It is the other fellow's monopoly that can't be stood for.

Since the government is to indict the spinners we are to have some additional yarns about the trust question.

A slight earthquake shock was reported at Columbia on Friday. It probably was some new movement on the part of Gov. Blease.

A contemporary says: "During this hot weather drink plenty of lemonade." Of course, it's refreshing but there's nothing consoling about it.

We note from a Cleveland dispatch that while some shooting was going on there a few days ago the only man shot was a bystander. If it weren't for the bystanders what would the hospitals do?

Of course, there are a good many bumps in this world for us, but think of the hard luck you would be in if you were a North Carolina auditorium and had to be sold and carried away to South Carolina.

The New York Herald says: "Women's feet are growing larger." Well, if that's the case, men may as well realize that decidedly more emphasis will be given when a woman sets her foot down on something she won't stand for.

A woman's club discussed the query: "Should a man lie around the house?" Well, of course he ought not to do so, but if it's pushed on some of them while they are around the house they don't know any other way to get out of it.

Who said a woman couldn't keep a secret? Nobody will ever know the age of Christe Violette, of Boston. She died a few days ago and carried to the silence of the grave the secret that she had kept to herself in spite of all inquiring friends.

Nat Goodwin, whose life is one divorce right after another, is said to be worth more than $1,000,000. So long as Nat has that much money, and no prudence worth mentioning, he will always have trouble in keeping out of the way of affinities.

The worst thing about some of the new fangled things we hear in politics is that a politician with a fog horn can blow loud enough to get people to get on his bandwagon. Some of the so-called issues sprung on us are principally made up of the tom-tom music that accompanies a politician's song and dance.

A man in Philadelphia has been fined for keeping hogs in the city limits. It is curious that any man should think that a city is a fit place to raise hogs and keep cows. Why not get in the "back to the farm" movement where the animal industry can be made to pay without endangering the lives of the people of a city?

The Americus (Ga.) Record remarks: "Soon the luscious watermelon will be a thing of common enjoyment." Well, with a Georgia watermelon it might be "common enjoyment," but it is different when a fellow is trying to get on the outside of one of those sugary, nectar-flavored specimens grown around Wilmington, he has to go slow or else he will swallow his tongue. Of course, people at a distance have to be deprived of the enjoyment of our honey drippers, for the rind is so thin an ordinary jolt cracks it and out comes a flow of delectable juice that would make a Georgian's hair curl till he wouldn't know himself.

THE RECIPROCITY BATTLE.

Doubtless the United States Senate will this week begin in earnest its consideration of the Canadian reciprocity bill as it was passed by the Democratic House. While it is not a Democratic measures it has had Democratic support and was passed by a Democratic House with all its features unchanged. However, it is really a Republican administration measures and was introduced by a Republican just as it was prepared in accordance with the agreement of the Republican President with the reciprocity representatives of Canada.

It seems now to be looked upon as a Democratic measure, but we have really never considered it as such, although the Democratic House was practically a unit for it and has been almost solely depended upon by the President for support. Now that the bill will be up for consideration in the Senate, the efforts of the administration will be bent toward securing its passage without amendment.

We rather think, however, the President will be doomed to disappointment, since the standpatters of his party oppose it on general principles while some Democratic Senators are opposed to passing it entirely as it came solely from the hands of the President, we might say. The President has been persistent in his campaign in behalf of his bill and since his recent appeal to the Southern press to aid in its passage, some of our leading Southern papers are strongly urging Southern Senators to stand by it. We quote this from an editorial in the Atlanta Journal of Saturday:

"It is the duty of our Southern Senators to support the Canadian reciprocity bill precisely as it came from the House, unhobbled by any amendment whatsoever. Only thus can they serve the true interests of their section and their party and of the country at large on this paramount issue. No quarter of the Union will profit more bountifully from freer trade relationships, with Canada than will the South. It is the agricultural class that is benefitted most directly by wise reductions of the tariff, and in the pending reciprocity pact one of the most important articles of Southern exports is permitted to enter Canada free of duty. This item is cotton seed oil. It has been authentically estimated that the cotton seed crop is worth one hundred million dollars to the South—Canada is one of its readiest purchasers. Our trade with the Dominion on the seed oil alone has advanced from $213,000 in 1905 to more than a million dollars for the year ended last March. And what a tremendous impetus will be given this great Southern industry when the tariff obstacles it must now overcome are entirely removed! This is but one instance of the many advantages Southern agriculture would enjoy under a freer trade agreement with Canada. This measure has the earnest, outspoken approval of the South's farmers. It is due the unhesitating support of our Senators. The practical interests of the Democratic party as well as of this section, demand their support of the bill as it was originally framed. The House Democrats wisely passed the reciprocity measure without amendments."

It is quite a difficult thing for the press to get behind the President's measure without having made a thorough study of it, such as doubtless has been made by North Carolina Senators and Representatives. We thoroughly believe in the principle of reciprocity on a broad scale, but it is owing altogether as to who frames the reciprocity agreement and to just exactly what all of its terms are, whether we should urge either a Democratic or a Republican Senate to pass it without amendment. As to that, the Senators and Representatives are on the ground investigating it and we favor reciprocity but we see no equal opportunity of doing so it is up to the Senators to take care of their State and themselves in deciding their course of action. Broadly speaking, we favor reciprocity but we see no reason why a reciprocity agreement entered into by either a Republican or Democratic President should not be carefully scrutinized before Congress agrees to it. It may be all right and it may not, but that is a matter for the Senate and House to decide. Certainly it is a serious matter for the party which ought to be back of its President, but which seems to be at variance with him on the question. It is equally as serious for the Democratic party which stands back of the President and which will really have to take the consequences, whether they are good or bad.

We can't say that the reciprocity bill is altogether the thing, for the Democratic farmers' free list bill passed by a Democratic House would indicate that it is not altogether what it ought to be without those concessions in the interest of the agriculturists. It would seem that if the Democrats want to make sure of the farmers' share in reciprocity, they would insist on amending the bill with the free list, but it is contended that any amendment to it would be fatal to the bill. Since the Democrats will not attempt to load it down with the farmers' free list, they evidently look upon the reciprocity bill, as a whole, as of more importance than the concessions they think the farmers ought to have. It really may be so, but if the reciprocity bill is passed as it comes from a Republican administration, we know very well we will never hear of any free list bill being passed by a Republican Senate.

We have always looked on Canadian reciprocity as a Republican fight and as to what North Carolina Senators or Representatives care to do about it, we are free to say that it is up to them to take care of themselves.

NORTH CAROLINA ILLUSTRATED.

The National Magazine for June is an exceedingly handsome number, and it is particularly interesting to North Carolinians because it contains an interesting and valuable article on North Carolina and its resources and possibilities. Various sections of the State are beautifully illustrated, and the work is exceedingly artistic, having been produced in accordance with a high standard of work.

Wilmington, Wrightsville Beach and Southport appear in the pictures, the scenes being of such an admirable nature that they will attract wide interest. The illustrations of local interest are the sandsome statue of the Hon. George Davis, the splendid home of Mr. James Sprunt, "up and down the silver sands of Wrightsville Beach," growing lettuce at Wilmington, a solid train load of strawberries bound for the Northern markets, a 125-acre strawberry farm near Whiteville, Wilmington's water front, a picturesque spot at Southport, Miss Stuart's hotel at Southport, etc.

The illustrative feature of the article pictures different portions of the State, and both the story and the pictorial features accompanying it, represent a fine class of work. Mr. Frank P. Fogg is the writer of the Carolina sketch, and his observations are indeed entertaining and ought to be valuable from the viewpoint of attracting attention to the progress, development and possibilities of North Carolina.

Another attractive feature is an article by Mr. Joe Mitchell Chappelle, on "The Inland Waterways Celebration," near Beaufort several months ago, when the first link of that great navigation scheme was completed. Many illustrations accompany Mr. Chappelle's article, and besides these, Mr. Chappelle in his Washington sketches paints portraits of Senators Oreman and Simmons, Hon. John M. Morehead, Hon. William A. Graham, North Carolina's commissioner of agriculture; Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; Congressman Robert N. Page, Congressman John H. Small and others.

Two pages of the magazine are devoted to a striking and catchy advertisement of Wilmington, featuring a map of the State with Wilmington occupying great prominence, while there is a notable wharf scene on the harbor front. The advertisement sets forth the numerous strong points of Wilmington's advantages and they are well calculated to give effective publicity to the city.

The National Magazine is a high class publication and the publicity which it gives to North Carolina doubtless will attract widespread notice of our State.

Says the Houston Chronicle: "Some of the newest automatic pistols are said to be powerful enough to kill a man 1,000 yards away." Well, we haven't got any use for a pistol like that. We don't care to make a target of any man when it is so much nicer to pat him on the shoulder, give him a good cigar and tell him not to be a knocker.

The Georgia Legislature is to convene June 28th and one of its duties will be the election of a United States Senator to succeed the late Senator Clay. The Constitution, speaking of the probable candidates, announces that Governor Hoke Smith is "receptive." Of course, we all know that. Receptivity is chronic in Georgia.

CURRENT COMMENT.

President Taft declines to join the Antihorse-Thief Association, which would seem to indicate that he has designs on the Democratic donkey.—Washington Post.

Wilson, Clark and Harmon all oppose Bryan in the wool schedule issue. Mr. Bryan's plight is pitiable in that he may now have to fall back upon himself as a candidate.—Chattanooga Times.

Congressman Warburton urges a higher tax on tobacco. Poor man, evidently he has never experienced the joy of finding an old stump around the house at night just when he had abanadoned hope.—Washington Post.

It is now said that President Taft used to et twelve dollars a week as a cub reporter on a daily newspaper. In that respect Big Bill has nothing on us, but we must admit that he has beaten us to the Presidency.—Norfolk irginian-Pilot.

Study of the Spanish language is to be made compulsory in the public schools of New Orleans, if a plan of the Board of Trade is carried through. It is argued that as all of South America will be opened up to trade by the completion of the Panama canal employs the Spanish language, there is every reason why the cities that want to trade with those countries should be able to supply young men and women who can speak that language, to take up the traffic. We have spoken of this many times and suggested the advisability of considering the teaching of Spanish in our public schools. In New Orleans they have not only talked about it, but are going to do it. In short, New Orleans is getting ready for the canal opening, and doing it in the right way.—Savannah News.

Election of senators by direct vote should not be complicated by any other question. If the Senate desires to test the Southern election laws it has that right; but the Sutherland amendment and the Bristow substitute are only attempts to evade an issue that some senators have not the courage to face. Senator Rayner points out that the framers of the constitution never intended that Congress shauld have control over elections in the States, except when the States themselevs failed to provide for such elections. But all the arguments of Messrs. Sutherland, Bristow and others are beside the question. They tend to shift the debate from the main issue. The Senate may again postpone, but it cannot defeat this reform. The evasion of its enemies will only make its friends more determined.—Baltimore Sun.

According to the morning paper, plans are already being made for the entertainment of the waterways convention that will meet here in October. The delegates to the convention from the States north of us will assemble in Baltimore, where they will take boat for ... Point; and thence, it is proposed, to bring them by rail to Richmond. But why by rail? Why should they not come by the river route? True, we have no public wharves, or terminal facilities, of which we are particularly proud, to exhibit; but the boat lines that ply here have wharves of their own. Presumably our visitors are deeply interested in water routes and water transportation. They would have an opportunity not only to see much of historic Virinia, but coming on the boat, the possibilities of the river and its needs could be seen by them, and their interest in its development increased.—Richmond News Leader.

TOWN OF MARTHASVILLE.

Dr. Jos. Akerman Throws Some Light on Early Atlanta.

Wilmington, N. C., June 12, 1911.
Editor Morning Star, Wilmington, N. C.

Dear Sir:—I note in one of your recent issues a comment on naming cities with Atlanta as an example. Thinking the facts in the case might interest some of your readers I venture to offer them.

The town was originally named Marthasville for the daughter of Governor Lumpkin, of Georgia. Mrs. Martha Compton, nee Miss Lumpkin, lived until recently in Athens, Ga., where I presume she died a few years ago. In her old age she was the guest of honor on Atlanta Day, during the Piedmont exposition.

Yours truly,
JOSEPH AKERMAN.

MRS. NAVY OF WALNUT

Mrs. Navy, of Walnut, Writes Interestingly About Her Case, Which After Dragging for Years, Was Finally Relieved in One Week.

Walnut, N. C.—"I suffered more or less during girlhood from female weakness," writes Mrs. Mollie Navy, of this place. "After I was married, I was almost bedridden, and had to give up. We had three doctors. All the time, I was getting worse. My trouble would last from 7 to 28 days. I gave Cardui a trial, and in one week I could eat, sleep and joke, as well as anybody. In 8 weeks, I was well. I was an invalid for five weary years. Cardui relieved me when everything else failed."

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Large Shingle Mill.

Contracts have been signed and work will begin within the next ten days on a big shingle mill near Bolivia, on the Wilmington, Brunswick & Southern Railroad. The mill will have a daily capacity of 60,000 shingles and this may be increased to 100,000 a day. In addition to this the following mills have been completed and are in operation: Johnson's Mill, at Jackey's Branch; Goodman's Mill, at Landvale; Town Creek Lumber Company's Mill at Town Creek; Brown Bros.' and Henry's mill at the same place, and W. O. McKeithan's mill at Bolivia. Bryan & Bull, of Norfolk, have purchased a site for a mill near Town Creek and it will be installed without further delay.

—A horse belonging to the Orrell Livery Co., was killed in a peculiar manner at the stables yesterday afternoon. The horse, valued at $200, was hitched to a buggy. One of the lines caught under the animal's stubby tail, which he flirted with such force that his head was drawn back and at the same time he was thrown over on one side. In the fall the animal's neck was broken with a resounding noise.

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FREE FARES PROPOSITION

Merchants Likely to Adopt Trade Boosting Enterprise—Meeting Will be Held One Day This Week to Consider It.

The introduction of the policy of free transportation for out-of-town buyers who may be induced to switch their trade to this city, is said to be now practically assured. A large number of leading merchants of the city have been sounded on the proposition, and, in every case where an opinion has been expressed at all, it has been strongly in favor of the new trade boosting movement.

A meeting of the leading business men will be held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce within the next few days to determine whether the plan is to be introduced in Wilmington. Several of the merchants are familiar with the terrific trade drawing influence of the proposed movement as it has operated for years in St. Louis, Louisville, Knoxville, New Orleans, Peoria, Grand Rapids, Fort Wayne, and other American cities, and these are said to be a unit in favor of the plan. All the wholesale houses, and every retailer large enough to be directly interested in out-of-town business, will be asked to affiliate with the new association, if formed. While the wholesale and retail interests do not affect each other in any way, the modern plan is to combine the two interests in one association to reduce the cost of maintenance. It is said that the sole object of the retail end is to head off the encroachments of the foreign mail order houses and centralize that class of trade in this city. The messages given below in answer to inquiries as to the merit and success of the proposed plan are said recently to have been received by a committee of Jacksonville business men, and published in the Florida Times-Union. The published account states that the names signed to the messages were picked out at random from the commercial agency reports because of their high rating and as representing different lines of merchandise, and that the broad claim is made that a letter or message addressed to any first-class merchant, in any line, in any city where the proposed plan has been in operation a year or more will bring an endorsement fully as strong as those published. The messages referred to follow:

"We cheerfully recommend the free fare trading plan adopted by our association here. It has brought us at small cost a large volume of business that we feel confident we would not otherwise have received. In operation five years.

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HIGH TEMPERATURES.

More Than a Hundred Degrees at Several Points on Sunday.

Extraordinarily high temperatures prevailed Sunday and yesterday in all regions of the cotton belt. In Wilmington the maximum yesterday was 96 degrees and on Sunday 94 degrees, according to the official report of the Weather Bureau, but at several other points in the Wilmington district on Sunday temperatures at and above 100 degrees were recorded.

For the 24 hours ended at 8 o'clock yesterday morning maximum temperatures were reported as follows: Charlotte 98; Cheraw 98, Florence 101, Goldsboro 95, Greensboro 104, Lumberton 105, Newbern 98, Raleigh 100 and Weldon 100. According to the report Wilmington had the lowest temperature in the district on Sunday. The average for the district was 99 and a fraction. The average for other districts in the cotton belt were Charleston 98, Augusta 100, Vicksburg, New Orleans and Little Rock, 100. Local rains have fallen in the central and eastern districts and lower temperatures were expected yesterday.

In Wilmington the heat wave sent hundreds to the beaches and both the Tidewater Power Company and the steamer Wilmington handled hundreds of excursionists during the day. Many people also came in on the various excursions of the Atlantic Coast Line Sunday and the beach presented an animated appearance during the day. All the hotels, cottages and gay Lumina were crowded all day and far into the night.

Their Little Daughter Dead.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Ellington, No. 211 North Ninth street, will tenderly sympathize with them in the death of their infant daughter, Martha, aged four months, which occurred Sunday afternoon at 5:30 o'clock. The funeral was conducted at 10 A. M. yesterday from the residence, Rev. J. M. Wells, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church officiating and the remains were laid to rest in Bellevue cemetery.

A Dreadful Wound

from a knife, gun, tin can, rusty nail, fireworks, or of any other nature, demands prompt treatment with Bucklen's Arnica Salve to prevent blood poison or gangrene. It's the quickest, surest healer for all such wounds as also for Burns, Boils, Sores, Skin Eruptions, Eczema, Chapped Hands, Corns or Piles, 25c. at R. R. Bellamy's.

NO VERDICT IN "TIGER" CASE

Unable to Agree, Jury Retires at 11 O'clock for the Night—Reported to be 10 to 2 in Favor of Conviction.

Unable to reach an agreement as to the guilt or innocence of Thomas Mask Jones, colored, charged with selling a half pint of gin in violation of the State prohibition law, the Recorder's court jury which has the responsibility of deciding the case, retired for the night at 11 o'clock last night and will resume deliberations this morning. It was reported on the streets that the jury stood 10 to 2 in favor of conviction and that there is a probability of an agreement this morning. However, the jury a short time after being out reported to the court its inability to ever reach an agreement. The Recorder thought it probable that a verdict could be reached and stated he would hold the jury together until this morning unless a verdict was returned during the evening.

The trial of one of the cases against Thomas Mask Jones, colored, was entered into at 11:30 o'clock. In this case the defendant was charged with selling one half pint of gin to M. F. Sellars, for 25 cents on the 25th day of May, it being alleged that he was a clerk for D. N. Chadwick at Water and Red Cross streets at the time. Not a great while was required in the selection of the jury, which was composed of the following: Warren L. Jones, W. B. Schuler, A. M. King, S. J. Springer, H. F. Canady, J. W. Batson, E. L. Matthews, P. J. Breen, Wm. Gregerson, E. Poexolt, Chas. Haar, Geo. H. Hutaff.

The prosecution was represented by City Attorney Geo. L. Peschau and County Attorney Marsden Bellamy, while L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for the defendant. Some days ago the defendant was tried on the charge of selling a half pint of whiskey, a mistrial resulting. On the same day he was served with another warrant charging a similar offense. The warrant in the gin case was sworn out by Officer E. L. Smith upon information and belief, the three witnesses for the State having been seen to enter the place and make the purchase as alleged. M. F. Sellars, who, it is alleged, made the purchase, was the first witness. He testified that he purchased the gin as alleged and that he and the two men with him drank it. Counsel for the defendant endeavored to show that the witness could not tell whether or not it was gin or sweetened water that was purchased, but the witness was positive in his statement that he knew how gin tasted and that what he got from Jones certainly had the same taste.

C. D. Tew testified that he was with Sellars when the sale was made. In fact, he gave Sellars the money with which to buy the gin, not desiring to make the purchase himself. He said that Sellars called for gin; that was handed him by the negro Jones; tasted like gin and that he had drunk gin before. Mr. Grant asked the witness what kind of a job he had put up against Sellars in telling the officers of the alleged purchase. The witness denied that he had told the officers or any one about the purchase, but admitted that he heard that Sellars thought he was the person who gave the information upon which the negro was arrested. In reply to a question of Mr. Grant he said that so far as the effect of the gin is concerned that what was purchased might have been sweetened water. He was then asked if he knew the difference between gin and corn whisky, and he replied that one is gin and the other is corn whiskey. The witness denied that he expected to get anything for his appearance in court in the case. With the examination of this witness the State rested.

The defendant went on the stand in his own behalf and denied in toto the charge against him. He even denied that he was ever in the place where he is said to have sold the whiskey and gin, although he lives next door to the place. He claims to have been very sick on the day of the alleged sale and unable to go out of the house. D. J. Barnes, a white man, was the next witness. He was called to testify as to some conversation he is said to have had with Sellars two days after the arrest of the negro. His testimony had no material bearing on the case. Ellen Jones, mother of the defendant, who conducts a restaurant next to the store at corner Water and Red Cross, where the alleged sales were made, testified that her son was sick on the date of the alleged sale; that Thomas Mask Jones never worked for Mr. Chadwick, but that another son, John Mask Jones, does work for him, and that there is a family resemblance between the two.

Court adjourned at 1:30 for dinner, reconvening at 3 o'clock. It was nearly 5 o'clock when the case was given to the jury. Then the case against John Bradshaw, a young white man, who conducted a business at Sixth and Harnett streets, was called. The jury was soon selected, sworn and empanelled as follows: J. P. Howell, W. A. Penny, L. W. Baggett, G. W. Penny, L. M. LeGwin, E. G. Conway, R. H. Brady, E. E. Kerr, J. W. Overby, C. H. Keen, J. F. King and J. F. Russ.

It is alleged that the defendant sold a half pint of whiskey to Joe Hobbs at his place of business, corner of Sixth and Harnett streets. Witnesses for the State testified to the purchase, while on the other hand the defendant and his witnesses gave testimony which tended to disprove the charge entirely. The defendant said that he was sick at his boarding house on May 22nd and 23rd, and he also had witnesses to show that he was not in the store at the time of the alleged sale. The man with whom he boarded, Mr. Ed Morris, formerly an A. C. L. engineer, testified that Bradshaw was at his home all day Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, May 21st, 22nd and 23rd, being unable to leave there on account of illness. The witness said that he himself did not leave the house during that period and knew for a fact that the defendant did not leave even for a short period of time. Justice George Harriss, who presided as Substitute Recorder May 22nd, when the cases against William Hamilton and Richard Phillips, in which Bradshaw was a witness, were tried, was next called to the stand, and he testified that Bradshaw said on the stand at that time that he conducted a place of business, witness understanding him to say on Sixth and Nixon streets. This was introduced to disapprove some statement of the defendant to the effect that he had gone out of business. Next was Mr. Fred T. Skipper, clerk of the Recorder's court. The record of the Recorder's court was put in evidence to show that the case in which Bradshaw was a witness was tried on Monday, May 22nd, the day the defendant testified he was at his boarding house sick. With the examination of Mr. Skipper, who merely testified as to the court record, court adjourned until 10 o'clock this morning, when argument of counsel will be heard. The case against Ralph Kennedy, charging a similar offense, will probably be heard today.

A most interested spectator in court yesterday during the trial of the case was Chief of Police John J. Fowler, under whose direction the cases against the alleged "tigers" were worked up. Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, was also in the court room for a portion of the day and seemed to be very much interested in the trials.

SUNDAY AT THE BEACHES

Many People Enjoyed the Concerts and Bathing at Wrightsville—Improvements—Visitors to Carolina Beach.

Wilmingtonians and visitors for the day flocked to the beaches Sunday to enjoy the fine concerts, cooling breezes and the surf bathing, one of the largest crowds of the season going in at both Wrightsville and Carolina beach. Morning concerts were given at both hotels and afternoon and evening concerts at Lumina. Unusually fine programmes were rendered at each place and the audiences showed their appreciation by their generous applause.

Last night a souvenir dance was given at Lumina for the children and a goodly number of the youngsters held the floor until 9 o'clock, when they were presented with the souvenirs, the older dancers then taking charge.

Guests continue to arrive at hotels, among some of the more recent arrivals being the following:

At the Oceanic: Justin King, Atlanta, Ga.; Jno. S. Barnes, Atlanta, Ga.; W. G. Green, Maxton, S. C.; J. W. Bates, Atlanta, Ga.; R. J. Bates, Atlanta, Ga.; Col. D. C. Kingmon, Savannah, Ga.; Geo. F. Alexander, Springfield, Mass.; Thos. L. Simmons, Greensboro, N. C.; T. M. Wadard, Chicago, Ill.; M. J. Biles and Mr. W. E. Johnson, Atlanta, Ga; Miss Mable Wallace, Sanford, N. C.; Miss Elizabeth Goldston, Sanford, N. C.; J. B. Tuggle, Norfolk, Va.; T. B. Lewis, Richmond, Va.

At the Seashore: J. F. Highsmith, Fayetteville; R. M. Collier, New York; S. L. Clement, C. F. Rigdon, Mr. Chas. W. Gold, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Escott, Raleigh; L. L. Dempsey, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Maxwell, Whiteville; Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Price, Whiteville; H. D. Farrion, Warsaw; Mr. H. M. Shopler, Philadelphia; Messrs. W. H. Best and C. S. Cleagh, Goldsboro; S. M. MacKendree, Spartanburg, S. C.

Sunday formally inaugurated the period of Sunday one-day trips by the A. C. L. from points between Wilmington and Fayetteville, Florence, Goldsboro and Newbern, and there were a large number of excursions in the city for the day. Not a few arrived Sunday to spend some time at the beach, while most of the number returned on the evening trains.

Mr. F. E. Walker, of the gas and advertising department of the Tidewater Power Co., has been transferred to Lumina for the season and will be in charge of that popular and farfamed pavilion. He is a popular and exceedingly clever young man and the public will be interested in the announcement that he is again in charge of the pleasure palace. Beach visitors will also be glad to learn that the Tidewater Power Co., is providing a porch on the west side of Lumina, extending the whole of the space between the two flights of steps leading from the station to the upper floor of the pavilion.

An unusually large crowd visited Carolina Beach during the day. The steamer Wilmington was well crowded on both the morning and afternoon trips, while quite a party went down to the pier for the evening trip. The visitors spent the time most pleasantly at the beach. The splendid new pavilion was thronged throughout the day. Large parties visit the resort every day now.

Solicitor Sinclair Quite Sick.

Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "We regret to note that Solicitor N. A. Sinclair is quite sick at his home on Haymount. Mr. Sinclair was taken violently ill last Monday, and has had high fever ever since. We are glad to know, however, that his condition is somewhat improved today, but he is still in bed and unable to give any attention to business."

Has Donated $2,000.

The current number of Charity and Children, the excellent publication of Mr. Archibald Johnson, in connection with the Thomasville Orphanage, announces that Mr. D. L. Gore, of this city, has given $2,000 to Meredith College, the great Baptist institution at Raleigh.

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SEVERAL MINOR CASES HEARD

Two Hours' Session of Court Preceding the Jury Trials—Three Negroes Are Sent to the Roads—Other Cases.

Just preceding the trial of the whiskey cases before juries in the Recorder's court yesterday, two hours were spent in clearing the docket of several minor cases of some little interest. Robt. Russ, colored, charged with assault with deadly weapon on Haywood Pollock, colored, it being alleged that he struck him with a bottle, was given a term of three months on the county roads.

Jas. Sanders, colored, appeared in the court room with his head bandaged, bearing eloquent testimony to the clubbing which he received Saturday morning when he resisted Patrolman W. R. Applebury. Sanders was found not guilty of the charge of vagrancy, but he was given three months on the roads for resisting the officer. It was when arrested on a warrant charging vagrancy that the negro offered the resistance which caused him to be clubbed and to get a term on the county roads. Had he behaved himself when arrested he would not now be doing service for the county, for the vagrancy charge was not sustained by the evidence.

Paul Green, colored, was found guilty of assault with deadly weapon on Lula Green with a flower pot and given a term of two months on the county roads. Elijah Davis, colored, was given hearing on the charge of assault with deadly weapon, to-wit: a knife, on A. Kazakidis two weeks ago and for assault and battery upon Fatini Kazakidis at the same time. The cases were left open for judgment. Jack Taylor, colored, was required to pay $5 and costs for drunkenness and disorderly conduct. Ben Parker, colored, charged with violating the city ordinance relative to obstructing the sidewalk, was let off upon payment of costs. Preston Evans, colored, was required to pay costs for allowing a goat to run at large upon the public streets. Joe Pinkey, colored, paid a fine of $5 and costs for drunkenness.

Frank Bennett, a 10-year-old colored youth, said to be a son of Fred Bennett, whose mind is considered unbalanced at times, was in court room to answer to a charge of burglary. He was arrested Sunday night about 9:30 o'clock, being caught in the store of Miss A. V. Jones, on the northwest corner of Seventh and Harnett streets, while attempting to rob the money drawer, it was said. Miss Jones lives in apartments on the second floor and heard some one in the store below. An investigation resulted in finding the lad. It is thought probable that burglary in the first degree is the proper charge in this case, owing to the fact that the second story of the building is occupied as living apartments. When the case was called yesterday morning Assistant City Attorney George L. Peschau asked for continuance in order that he may have time to look further into the facts.

TO RECEIVE INSTRUCTIONS.

National Guard Officers to Spend the Week at Fort Caswell.

Bound for Fort Caswell where they will enter a school of instruction which lasts for one week, a squad of officers of the North Carolina National Guard, Coast Artillery Corps, arrived in the city yesterday. They will be put through a series of drills in the various tactics and they expect the experience to be most interesting and helpful.

Major Max L. Barker, of Salisbury, is in command of the party, which is composed of the following: Captains W. R. Cox, of Salisbury; W. D. Marrow, of Greensboro; L. M. Dodamead, of High Point, and Lieuts. J. R. Ross, of Charlotte; C. O. Lombard, of Salisbury and M. F. Hatcher, of Salisbury. The officers left for the fort yesterday on the steamer Madeline and their work will continue through this week. The party was joined here by Lieut. J. B. Lynch, of the Wilmington Light Infantry, which is also a member of the Coast Artillery Corps.

The course of instruction they will receive is a preliminary to the annual maneuvers of the Coast Artillery Corps, which will be held at Fort Caswell in August.

DEATH OF MRS. SOUTHERLAND.

Aged Lady Passed Away Sunday After Illness of Some Time.

Many friends of the family in this city and elsewhere throughout this section of the State learned with deep regret of the death of Mrs. P. A. Southerland, who passed away at noon Sunday at her home, No. 314 Red Cross street. Mrs. Southerland had been in bad health for some time, but her death was due partly to the infirmities of old age, being about 70 years old. Her husband preceded her to the grave some years ago. Mrs. Southerland was a native of Duplin county, but had made her home in Wilmington for some years. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. J. J. Kelly and Mrs. I. W. Cooper, of this city; three sons, Mr. C. S. Southerland, of Southerland, Simon & Co., and Mr. Henry Southerland, of this city, and Mr. Ed Southerland, of Kenansville, who have the sympathy of a great many friends. The body was taken yesterday to Kenansville for interment.

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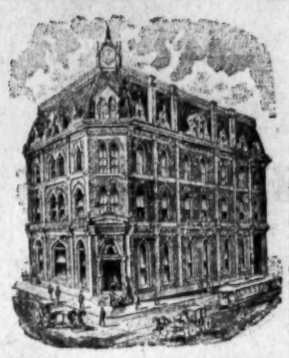

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RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts other than demand loans	$1,552,499.52
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	4,300.00
Furniture	1.00
All other real estate owned	5,683.34
Demand Loans	120,031.46
Due from Banks and Bankers	218,010.45
Invested Trust Funds	33,390.21
Vault Account	5,371.60
Building Account	20,314.64
Total	$1,959,602.22

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 100,000.00
Surplus Fund	100,000.00
Undivided profits less current expenses and taxes paid	100,299.40
Dividends Unpaid	93.50
Deposits subject to check	1,659,109.32
Total	$1,959,602.22

I, Jno. Lewis Williams, Cashier of the Wilmington Savings & Trust Company, do solemnly swear (or affirm) that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. L. WILLIAMS.

CORRECT-ATTEST:
N. B. RANKIN,
J. V. GRAINGER,
J. W. YATES,
Directors.

Mrs. W. H. Sprunt Bereaved.

Friends will sympathize with Mrs. William H. Sprunt, in the death of her sister, Mrs. James L. Haile, which occurred at Camden, S. C., Sunday night. Mrs. Sprunt is at Camden.

Firemen Honor Their Dead.

Captain W. P. Monroe, Messrs. T. B. Jackson, L. Freimuth, W. A. Canady and J. N. Fick, representing the local fire department, Sunday decorated the graves of three dead comrades, Mr. Eugene Jeffries, Capt. B. R. Russell and Mr. John Mohr, and also the grave of Mr. W. C. VonGlahn, who was secretary of the State Association. The occasion was Firemen's Memorial Day and while it was impossible to hold a regular service, the local department wished to remember their deceased comrades and the means named was selected.

POLICE TO HAVE OUTING.

Department Will Hold Annual Excursion at Carolina Beach.

The Wilmington Police Department will have its annual excursion to Carolina Beach Wednesday, July 12th, and the strong arms of the law are looking forward to a day of festive enjoyment. For some reason this outing was not held last year and consequently the coming event will be appreciated all the more. Councilman B. C. Moore, in charge of the Department of Public Safety, has granted permission for the affair and the blue-clad defenders of the city are counting on the times of their lives. The details of the outing will be worked out later, and it is unnecessary to state that nothing will be spared to make the occasion a success in every sense of the word.

Sergeant H. W. Howell has been appointed chairman of the committee on arrangements, and with this happy selection, along with the other members of the committee, Patrolmen W. R. Applebury, M. C. Gray, J. S. Lane, Leon George, Sergeant E. J. Grimsley and Private T. M. Hall, an unusually interesting programme may be expected. Patrolman Lane has been appointed secretary of the body and Sergeant Grimsley and Officer Applebury floor managers.

Excursion from Durham.

It is announced that the East Durham Sunday school, Durham, N. C., will run its annual excursion to Wilmington and the beaches next Saturday, June 17th. It is expected that several hundred people will be here for the occasion.

"Rose of Old St. Augustine."

Educational as well as interesting—Grand Theatre today. **

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"The Store That's Always Busy."

Bathing Suits---
Full assortment of Gents', Ladies' and Childrens' bath suits, shoes and caps.

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in six, eight and ten feet wide; dark green painted slats, price $1.25 to $3.00 each.

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We are showing the largest assortment in the city. No charge made for putting your name on Bags or Trunks.

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at reduced prices. New Pongee Auto Coats worth $7.50 special $5.00.

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SOCIETY

Ex-Alderman B. O. Stone and family moved yesterday to their cottage on Wrightsville Beach for the Summer.

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Friends of Mr. S. R. Adams will be glad to learn that he has returned from college to spend his Summer holidays at home.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Davis and little daughter, Mary Janice, left Sunday for Lake Toxoway and other points in the mountains.

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The many Wilmington friends of Miss Emily Holt, of Charlotte, will be interested to know that she is a guest at the Seashore Hotel.

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After visiting Miss Kate Northrop at Wrightsville Beach for some time, Miss Nan Cuthbert left yesterday for her home in Petersburg, Va.

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Miss Jennie Corbett went to Raleigh yesterday, where she will be one of the attendants at the Page-Culbreth marriage this week.

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Lumberton Robesonian: "Mr. and Mrs. M. G. McKenzie returned Friday afternoon from Wrightsville Beach, where they spent a day or so."

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Miss Cassie Mintz, of this city, is attending commencement exercises at Richmond College, Richmond, Va., from which school her brother graduates this year.

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Yesterday afternoon's Charlotte Chronicle: "Mrs. Gillespie Sadler and daughters, Misses Mary Moore and Ida will leave Thursday for Wrightsville Beach to spend some time."

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Mr. D. M. Ivey and J. L. Horne, Jr., of Rocky Mount, spent Sunday in the city and at the beach, Mr. Ivey going to his home in Robeson county for a day and Mr. Horne returning to Rocky Mount Sunday.

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Sunday's Raleigh News and Observer says: "Mr. T. P. Jones and sons, Edward and T. P., Jr., were in the city yesterday, having come in from Wrightsville Beach, where they spent a week with their aunt, Miss Louise Williams, who has joined her brother for New York.

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Capt. C. D. Mamitt on Sunday afternoon at Wrightsville Beach gave a delightful complimentary sailing party on the Smart Set. Among the guests for the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Fetter, Miss Reba Johnson, of Littleton, N. C.; Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Northrop and Mrs. Howard McClintock.

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A number of children are selling tickets for the concert to be given by the singing class of the Oxford Orphanage Asylum in the Academy of Music, Monday night, June 19th. The concert will be given under the auspices of the three local Masonic lodges and a large audience will doubtless greet the young entertainers.

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The Ladies Foreign Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian church will hold its regular meeting this afternoon at 5 o'clock in the church parlors, Third and Orange streets. All ladies of the congregation are cordially invited to be present and also asked to note the change in the hour of meeting—5 P. M., instead of 4, as formerly.

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A social session for the members of the First Baptist church will be held in the lecture room tomorrow evening. Supper will be served free of charge and all members of the church are urged to attend. An attractive programme has been arranged. The primary purpose of the social session is to provide an opportunity for the new members to meet the older members of the church.

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Dr. Russell Bellamy returned last night from Washington, D. C., where he went to see his father, Dr. W. J. H. Bellamy, who has been ill in the Capital City for the past week. Dr. Bellamy brought most encouraging news from the bedside of his father, who is rapidly recovering. He has not undergone an operation, nor does an operation now appear to be necessary. Many friends will be glad to learn that Dr. Bellamy's condition is not now regarded as at all serious and that he appears to be on the road to recovery.

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Yesterday's Lumberton Robesonian: "Miss Janie and Mr. Rudolph Carlyle went Saturday to Wrightsville Beach, where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carlyle, and other children have been spending some time and will remain the balance of this month.—Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Caldwell and three of their children, Miss Annie Ruth and Masters Robert and William, left this morning for Wrightsville Beach, where Mrs. Caldwell and the children will spend some time. Mr. Caldwell will return this evening."

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Last week the Junior Baracas of Grace M. E. Church enjoyed a delightful house party on Masonboro Sound under the chaperonage of Mrs. J. W. King. Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. J. D. Taylor and Miss Mary Houston. Among those in the party were Misses Annie Leah Mercer, Annie Taylor, Louise Taylor, Eleanor Bessellieu, Genevieve Dushan, Kate Clemmons, and Emily Clark, of Winston, N. C.; Messrs. James Morse, Orin Johnson, Leighton Boones, Roderick Houston, Claude Cooper, Kenneth Davis, Norman Davis, John Neistlie, Tom Rand, Decater Robinson, Fowler Morrison, Wilbur Kirkman, B. A. Thees.

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The following from a recent issue of the Richmond Times-Dispatch will be read with interest by friends here: "Dr. Leslie Wiggs entertained a few friends informally Monday evening from 9 to 11 o'clock at 114 East Franklin street. Among those calling were Judge and Mrs. R. Carter Scott, Dr. and Mrs. George Ben Johnston, Judge and Mrs. Beverly T. Crump, Mrs. Edward T. Crump, Mrs. E. P. Valentine, Misses Fannie Scott, Bessie Tompkins, Mary Crump, Elizabeth Bentley, Nannie Jones and Ellen Jones; Drs. McCaw Tompkins, Beverley Tucker, Edmund Boice, Morris Hutchinson and Daniel D. Talley."

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Another Souvenir Dance.

Another souvenir dance will be given at Lumina tonight. A large crowd is expected to attend this affair, as the souvenir dances at Lumina are always very popular. It is said that the souvenirs for this occasion are more attractive than any yet given this season. Extra car service will be put on for the occasion. Last night a special souvenir dance was given to the children. The children danced until 9 o'clock at which time the souvenirs were distributed. Quite a number of little ones lined up in the grand march to receive the favors. The souvenirs for this occasion were little sail boats, full rigged. All of the children were delighted with the entertainment.

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SOROSIS TO HAVE MOONLIGHT EXCURSION THURSDAY NIGHT.

What promises to be one of the most largely attended as well as most delightful of the many enjoyable moonlight excursions on the steamer Wilmington, will be given Thursday night under the auspices of the North Carolina Sorosis. The steamer Wilmington will leave her wharf at 7:45 o'clock and will make a trip up and down the river. There will be music by talented musicians and refreshments may be had on the boat. The fare for the round trip will be only 25 cents and all who participate are assured of a most enjoyable outing. The public generally is invited, and members of Sorosis are especially urged to be present on the occasion of the outing.

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MISS MAUD CANADY BRIDE OF THOMAS K. WOODY, ESQ.

Of interest to a wide circle of friends in this city and elsewhere throughout this section was the marriage Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, of Thos. K. Woody, Esq., a well known and popular member of the local bar, and Miss Maud Eater Canady, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Canady, of Greenville Sound. The ceermony was performed by Rev. Dr. J. H. Foster in the presence of only a few friends of the couple. Mr. and Mrs. Woody are spending their honeymoon at "South Inlet," Greenville Sound, the home of the groom's father, and upon their return to the city in about a week or ten days will board at corner of Second and Orange streets for the present. Mr. Woody is one of the best known and most popular young members of the bar and at present is local attorney for the Chas. M. Steiff Music House, and devotes practically all his time to the business of the firm. His many friends will extend to him their happiest congratulations. His bride is a most attractive young lady and has made Wilmington her home for some time. She is very popular with a wide circle of friends in the city and county. Mr. and Mrs. Woody will have the best wishes of a host of friends for a long life of wedded bliss.

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NOVELTY SHOWER GIVEN CHADBOURN BRIDE-ELECT.

Chadbourn, N. C., June 12.—Wednesday afternoon at the beautiful country home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Coultas, Mesdames Coultas and Ramsbottom gave a novelty shower to Miss Mary Goldie Wilkes, whose marriage to Mr. S. William Johnston will take place at the Chadbourn Baptist church Wednesday evening of this week. The guests were received at the door by Misses Berenice Ramsbottom and Fannie Edmund and at the punch bowl by Miss Inez Wilkes, sister of the bride-elect. Miss Estelle Inman won the prize, a beautiful picture, in a "Heart Hunt" and this was bestowed upon the guest of honor. Miss Fannie Edmund won the word contest, a bag of rice, which was used in a shower of the bride at the conclusion of the feature. Dainty refreshments were served and as a finale to an altogether pleasant affair four bride-elects for the year, Misses Annie Edmund, May Dee Wooten, Jessie Inman and Lois Williams drew their fortunes Miss Wilkes being the last and having received a large basket filled with many presents, attesting the high esteem in which she is held in the community. The home was beautifully decorated with flowers and in the dining room the color scheme of the bride, pink and blue, was carried out. About thirty-five guests were present and the event was indeed a happy one in every respect.

On Friday afternoon Mrs. Harriet Sprott gave a shower for Miss Wilkes at her pretty country home near Cerro Gordo. The home was decorated in pink and white and the guests were presented with booklets of pink and white in which were pasted illustrations of the life of Miss Wilkes. A delicious salad course was served in the dining room. The needle contest—threading the needle through a mirrow—was won by Miss Jessie Williams. The prize, a work basket, was presented to the guest of honor. The bride-elect, blindfolded, was then led into the spider web, ribbons which upon being released, showered her with many beautiful presents. About eighteen guests were present.

Visit from Colored Citizens.

Representing the best element of the colored population, of which they are representative, a delegation of colored citizens called upon Mayor Joseph D. Smith at his office in the City Hall building at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon and extended to him their heartiest congratulations of his election to the high office, expressed the hope that the present administration would be a grand success in every way and pledged themselves to use their best efforts in behalf of the city. Dave Bryant, L. D. Kennedy, J. D Dry and Thomas Cooper, all well known and highly respectable citizens, composed the delegation.

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FAVORS SANITARY CLOSET

Dr. Nesbitt Will Do Away With Surface Closets as Rapidly as Possible—Action Relative to Horses and Cows.

The City Board of Health was in session for an hour and a half yesterday afternoon during which several matters relative to the improvement of health and sanitary conditions were considered. A matter of much interest was the adoption of a resolution, offered by Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health, and seconded by Mr. B. O. Stone, recommending to the Council that an ordinance be adopted regulating the keeping of horses and cows in the congested districts of the city.

The resolution will be presented to the Council this afternoon for action. Dr. Nesbitt suggested to the board yesterday that persons within the congested district be not allowed to keep more than one cow on his or her premises and then only after an approval stable of concrete floor has been provided. An ordinance along this line applying to both horses and cows will probably be drafted and its adoption may be urged at the meeting of the Council this afternoon.

The matter of surface closets was considered for some time yesterday as it has been considered by practically every meeting of the City Board of Health for the past two years. Dr. Nesbitt remarked that as long as he is superintendent of health of Wilmington he will get rid of the surface closets just as rapidly as God will let him through the adoption of the sanitary closet. Members of the board are agreed that sanitary closets should be installed, but were divided as to how they should be provided, some not desiring to force the property owners to go to the additional expense so near the time that work on the new sewerage system is expected to begin. The cost of the sanitary closet is variously estimated from $2.50 to $7. Dr. Nesbitt pointed out to the board that in order to make the health conditions of Wilmington what they should be, it is necessary to either install the sanitary closets or continue the use of disinfecting the places where there are surface closets. The cost of the disinfectants is approximately $600 a month, of $7,200 a year, and would very likely run every bit of $8,000. Mayor Smith suggested that in view of this that some arrangement might be made by which the city would install the sanitary closets and let the owners of the property pay for the improvement so much a year, that is, add about a dollar a year to the cost of the scavenger work until the same has been paid. This met with the approval of the other members and Dr. Nesbitt was instructed to arrange a plan embodying these features and present the same at a later meeting.

Mayor Smith stated that the resignation of Dr. A. H. Harriss as a member of the board had been received. Dr. Harriss has purchased a place on the Sound and expects to spend as much time as possible there. Upon motion of Mayor Smith was authorized to appoint a committee to wait on Dr. Harriss and urge him to reconsider. Dr. John C. Wessell and Mr. Stone were named as the committee. Dr. Harriss has been a member of the board for a number of years and it is hoped that he will yield to the wishes of his colleagues and others and remain on the board, where he can be of much service to the community.

The meeting was presided over by Mayor Smith and in attendance were: Dr. Chas. T. Nesbitt, city superintendent of health; Dr. John C. Wessell, ex-Alderman B. O. Stone and City Engineer F. F. Pillet.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Rev. F. A. Bishop, of Dunn, N. C., is spending some time at Greenville Sound, visiting relatives.

—Col. J. J. Croswell, the popular Southern Express route agent, spent yesterday in the city and at the beach.

Messrs. Sam Husbands and Morgan Timmons, of Florence, S. C., spent Sunday and Monday at Wrightsville Beach.

—Mr. W. I. Wooten, a graduate of Trinity Park School, will spend his Summer vacation in this city with his brother, Rev. J. C. Wooten.

—Mr. C. N. Evans returned yesterday from Fort Caswell where Mrs. Evans and children are spending some time as guests of the family of Col. H. H. Ludlow.

—Messrs. J. E. Johnson and T. J. Armstrong arrived Sunday night on the Clyde Steamship Carib, from Yale College, where they have been attending school, en route for their homes near Florence, S. C.

—Cashier J. W. Simpson, of the Southern National Bank, is back in the city after attending the annual convention of the South Carolina Bankers' Association, held this year at Tybee Island, Ga.

—Messrs. Joseph S. Mitchell and C. E. StAmand, of the office of the division counsel of the Atlantic Coast Line with headquarters in Florence, S. C., spent yesterday in the city and at the beach, returning this morning.

—Among the arrivals at the Southern Hotel yesterday were S. E. Martin, Rocky Mount; J. J. Womble, Raleigh; J. E. Autrey, Fayetteville; W. M. Moore, Jr., and A. C. Robertson, Norfolk, Va.; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. White and daughter, Shalotte; A. L. Smith, Charlotte; W. T. Rochelle, Hamstead; L. C. Clifton, Clinton; J. B. Sessoms and son, Stedman; A. Taylor, Hamlet; L. E. Squires, Hamlet.

—Friends of Mr. R. B. Clark, superintendent of the work being done on the Cape Fear river by the Southern Bowers Dredging Co., of which his father is president, will regret to learn that he is ill at the James Walker Memorial Hospital, whither he was taken yesterday from No. 208 South Fourth street, where he has been making his home. His father was expected to arrive last night to be at his bedside.

Tonight at Lumina

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Grand Theatre.

Last night at the Theatre Beautiful Mr. and Mrs. Harry Tally opened an engagement to tremendous houses. If there was any question of doubt as to the merits of these artists it was soon dispelled as showed by the insistent encores given them. Mr. Tally was assisted by Mrs. Tally and their rendition of "Baby Rose," was perfect. Today Mr. Tally will sing the big ballad success "Twilight." Mrs. Tally will assist him every other day when they will be heard in duets. Mr. and Mrs. Tally are by far the best the Grand has ever had and Grandites are showing their great appreciation by increased attendance and applause. The pictures for today are all new and will be found unusually interesting. "Love Story of an Actress," a late Selig production will be found most interesting as it deals with the life of a theatrical star. Another picture of great interest especially to Southerners is "Rose of Old St. Augustine." This picture gives some real views of this historic old city, and besides being entertaining will be found educational. Come in and cool off. Doors open at 2 P. M.

At the Bijou.

Amusement lovers yesterday, both afternoon and night, seemed to know precisely where to go to escape the heat, and also where to be furnished with clever, wholesome entertainment while enjoying rest from the dry, sultry weather. They flocked to the ever-popular Bijou, which is always delightfully cool and where a fine show can always be seen. The first bill of the new week was in every way a corker. All the films were of the very freshest type and each was a star in its particular class, whether dramatic comedy or descriptive, and the musical numbers were of merry calibre, just such as to chase away dull care and brighten the feelings. Mr. Frank Banks, who is generally acknowledged to be one of the best singers ever in Wilmington and certainly one of the most popular, had a jolly ballad, which received well merited and vigorous encores. Today will bring forth another whopping big bill at the Bijou; filled with motion picture surprises and catchy music. It should be borne in mind that the Bijou brags on the comfort it dispenses, especially in the "good old Summer time."

LOCAL DOTS.

—Many friends were glad to see Constable W. B. Savage out again yesterday after being confined to his home for several weeks on account of a severe attack of rheumatism.

—Presiding Elder N. H. D. Wilson, of this circuit, will preside over the Quarterly Conference at Grace and Fifth Street Methodist churches this week. The meeting at Grace church will be held this evening at 8:30 o'clock and at Fifth Street church Wednesday evening at 9 o'clock.

—The Globe Bakery Company's horse, which made such a mad dash along Front street on the sidewalk Saturday, furnished more excitement yesterday by bolting again. North Fourth street was favored by the ambitious equine this time and he managed to partially demolish a buggy ere he was stopped.

—Yesterday afternoon's Fayetteville Observer: "Yesterday afternoon, about 3 o'clock a storm of rain and electricity struck this city, dispelling the intense heat and doing much good. The rain was not sufficient, however, to greatly benefit the gardens, which are suffering badly. We are glad to learn that the rain in the surrounding country was heavier than it was here."

Auspicious Opening of the Southern Automobile College.

The Southern Automobile College, Oak Ridge, N. C., opened its doors April 17th. It has been crowded to the limit ever since. Students are arriving daily, and daily are going out to accept paying positions in this most fascinating business. They announce a special June offer to students of schools and colleges, and to men who want to better their salaries. Automobile owners would also do well to write for particulars. **

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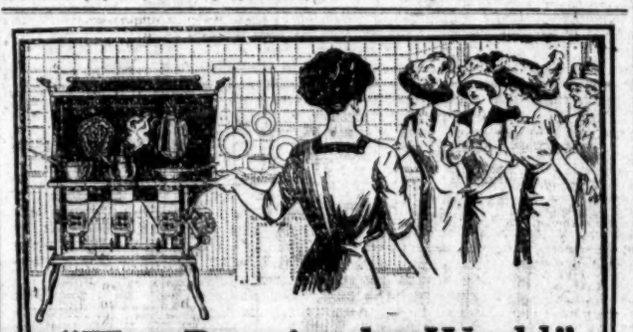

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KEEPING UP WITH LIZZIE, by Irving Bacheller.
THE IMPRUDENCE OF PRUE, by Sophie Fisher.
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Financial and Commercial

ACTIVITY IN COTTON MARKET

Considerable Buying for Long Account and Crop Positions Made New High Records—Advance of 7 to 19 Points.

New York, June 12.—With official weather reports indicating that expected showers had not materialized in the Southwest over Sunday, there was active covering by sellers of late last week in the cotton market this morning, as well as considerable buying for long account, part of which was attributed to trade interest and new crop positions made new high records for the movement. Realizing caused reactions from the best in the late trading, but the final tone was steady at a net advance of 7 to 19 points.

The opening was firm at an advance of six points on August and of 10 to 16 points on later deliveries, and the market was soon selling about 10 to 20 points net higher. Realizing caused a reaction of 4 or 5 points from the level, but aggressive selling was prevented by the Western belt forecast, calling for continued dry weather and following the detailed weather reports indicating very high temperatures again during the past 24 hours, not only in the Southwest but over the belt quite generally there was another rush of covering which sent the new crop positions up to a net advance of 22@26 points, while the old crop sold to 14 points net higher. Renewed realizing checked the advance around 13.79 for October, and in the late trading they became rather nervous and unsettled under profit-taking and local selling for reaction following rumors of rain at El Paso.

The close was some five or seven points off from the top, with the old crop showing a net gain of from 7 to 9 points, and the new crop of 15 to 19 points for the day. In addition to covering and rather a broadening demand from outside sources, on the advance during the middle of the day, there also seemed to be considerable buying from trade sources and local spot people reported that spinners were hedging themselves against forward requirements. Liverpool cables were about as due and trading in the English market was quiet, owing possibly to the influence of the coronation holidays next week.

Some private advices from the Southwest claim that the crop has not yet suffered any permanent damage from drouth, but the local market seemed to be very nervous and evidently feels that rains must come in the near future to relieve apprehensions of another short supply. The first bale of new cotton arrived at Houston nine days ahead of all records.

Receipts today, 2,350 bales, against 2,279 last week, and 2,757 last year. For the week, 15,000 bales, against 20,000 last week and 24,545 last year. Today's receipts at New Orleans, 577 bales, against 1,379 last year and at Touston, 126 bales, against 919 last year.

Spot cotton closed quiet; middling uplands, 15.90; do. gulf, 16.15; sales, 200 bales.

Futures opened firm and closed steady.

Month:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
June				15.59
July	15.71	15.76	15.68	15.73
August	15.18	15.24	15.16	15.17
September	13.95	14.05	13.94	14.01
November	13.68	13.70	13.67	13.71
December	13.69	13.77	13.64	13.72
October	13.66	13.79	13.64	13.72
January	13.71	13.77	13.64	13.71
March	13.72	13.81	13.69	13.75
May		13.85	13.77	13.80

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

Galveston—Steady, 15 7-16; net receipts, 819; gross receipts, 819; sales, 619; stock, 15,298; continent, 3,084; coastwise, 962.

New Orleans—Quiet, 15 7-16; net receipts, 577; gross receipts, 577; sales, 1,338; stock, 86,466.

Mobile—Quiet, 15½; net receipts, 1; gross receipts, 1; stock, 5,447; coastwise, 1.

Savannah—Quiet, 15½; net receipts, 688; gross receipts, 688; sales, 2; stock, 16,306; coastwise, 837.

Charleston—Nominal, 15¾; net receipts, 9; gross receipts, 9; stock, 6,408; coastwise, 454.

Wilmington—Nominal; stock, 2,456.

Norfolk—Steady, 15¾; net receipts, 15; gross receipts, 15; sales, 31; stock, 12,798; coastwise, 575.

Baltimore—Nominal, 16; stock, 2,579.

New York—Quiet, 15.90; gross receipts, 4,249; sales, 200; stock, 124,008; France, 764; continent, 2,075; coastwise, 1,428; Japan, 600.

Boston—Quiet, 15.90; net receipts, 150; gross receipts, 320; stock, 10,061.

Philadelphia—Quiet, 16.16; gross receipts, 72; stock, 982.

Jacksonville—Net receipts, 291; gross receipts, 291; coastwise, 291.

Total today at all ports—Net, 2,350; France, 764; continent, 5,159; Japan, 600; stock, 275,869.

Consolidated, at all ports—Net, 3,582; Great Britain, 1,028; France, 6,488; continent, 9,345; Japan, 600.

Total since Sept. 1, at all ports—Net, 8,398,479; Great Britain, 3,225,695; France, 895,177; continent, 2,939,142; Japan, 148,083; Mexico, 2,025.

INTERIOR MOVEMENT.

Houston—Steady, 15¾; net receipts, 126; gross receipts, 126; shipments, 233; sales, 618; stock, 18,142.

Augusta—Quiet, 15¾; net receipts, 91; gross receipts, 91; shipments, 165; sales, 12; stock, 9,395.

Memphis—Steady, 15 5-16; net receipts, 48; gross receipts, 369; shipments, 362; sales, 350; stock, 44,336.

St. Louis—Steady, 15¾; gross receipts, 138; shipments, 152; stock, 9,509.

Cincinnati—Net receipts, 170; gross receipts, 170; shipments, 20; sales, 19,591.

Little Rock—Quiet, 15; net receipts, 36; gross receipts, 36; shipments, 18; stock, 9,403.

Louisville—Firm, 15 5-16.

Total today—Net receipts, 471; gross receipts, 921; shipments, 948; sales, 981; stock, 119,521.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Spot, Dull; Prices, Three Points Higher—Sales and Futures.

Liverpool, June 12.—Spot, dull; prices, three points higher. American middling fair, 8.58; good middling, 8.56; middling, 8.34; low middling, 8.14; good ordinary, 7.88; ordinary, 7.63.

The sales of the day were 4,000 bales, of which 4,000 were for speculation and export, and included 3,200 American. Receipts, 22,000 bales, including 10,500 American.

Futures opened barely steady and closed with old crop positions steady and new months firm. June, 8.15; June and July, 8.05; July and August, 7.97½; August and September, 7.70½; September and October, 7.36; October and November, 7.21½; November and December, 7.15½; December and January, 7.14½; January and February, 7.14½; February and March, 7.15; March and April, 7.16.

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, June 12.—Money on call, steady, at 2¼@2½ per cent.; ruling rate, 2¾; closing bid, 2¾; offered at 2½. Time loans, easier; sixty days, 2½@2¾ per cent.; ninety days, 2¾@3; six months, 3¼@3½. Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4½ per cent.; sterling exchange, firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84 for sixty-day bills, and at 4.85.95 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.83½. Bar silver, 53¼; Mexican dollars, 45.

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Wm. Linthicum, 148 tons, Flowers, C. D. Maffitt.

A. B. Barteaux, 398 tons, Barteaux, C. D. Maffitt.

Estelle, 324 tons, Griffess, C. D. Maffitt.

Bessie Whiting, 531 tons, Harding, C. D. Maffitt.

Harry Prescott, 411 tons, Philbrook, C. D. Maffitt.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at Port of Wilmington Yesterday.

Wilmington, N. C., June 12.

Atlantic Coast Line—38 casks spirits turpentine; 47 barrels rosin; 29 barrels tar; 100 barrels crude turpentine.

Str. Whitlock—2 casks spirits turpentine; 14 barrels rosin.

Total—40 casks spirits turpentine; 61 barrels rosin; 29 barrels tar; 100 barrels crude turpentine.

THE PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, June 12.—Flour was quiet and lower to effect sales.

Rye Flour—Quiet.

Corn Meal—Steady.

Wheat—Spot, weak. No. 2, red, 93¾, elevator, and 94¾c. f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed 2¾ to 2¾c. net lower. July, 93½; September, 93.

Corn—Spot, steady. Export, No. 2, 62c. f.o.b. afloat. Futures closed nominal. July, 62¾; September, 63; December, 63¾.

Oats—Spot, steady. Futures closed nominal.

Lard—Steady.

Tallow—Quiet.

Rosin—Quiet.

Turpentine—Easy; machine barrels, 55.

Molasses—Steady.

Rice—Quiet.

Sugar—Raw, steady; refined, steady.

Coffee—Futures closed steady, at a net advance of 2@5 points. Spot, firm; Rio, No. 7, 12½; Santos, No. 4, 13½; mild, quiet; Cordova, 13@15.

Cheese—Firmer.

Potatoes—Dull and lower. Bermuda, per barrel, 6.50@7.00. Southern, No. 1, 3.00@

Eggs—Steady. Fresh gathered, extras, 5.25; No. 2, 2.50@4.00; culls, 2.00@2.50; old, 1.75@2.25; Jersey sweets, basket, 1.00@2.00.

Cabbages—Weak. Southern, crate, 1.00@1.50.

Freights—Quiet. Cotton to Liverpool per 100 lbs., 15c.; grain to Liverpool, 1½d; grain to London, 1½d.

Peanuts—Firm. Fancy hand-picked Virginia, 5½; Virginia shelled, Nos. 1 and 2, 4½@5¾.

Cotton Seed Oil—Higher on covering of shorts, support from prominent refiners and with firmness of cotton and hog products. Consumptive demand is quiet. Futures closed 2@6 points net higher. June, 6.58@6.60; July, 6.58@6.59; August, 6.63@6.64; September, 6.61@6.62; October, 6.22@6.26. Prime crude, nominal; prime summer yellow, 6.58@6.63; prime winter yellow, 6.60@7.25; prime summer white, 6.86@7.10.

WILMINGTON MARKETS.

STAR OFFICE, June 12.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market, nothing doing.

ROSIN—Steady, $5.85 per barrel.

TAR—Firm, at $2.20 per barrel.

CRUDE TURPENTINE — Market, firm; $3.25 per barrel for hard; $5.00 for dip and $5.30 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, firm, 55; rosin, firm, $3.90; tar, $2.25; crude turpentine, firm, at $3.00, $4.25 and $5.25.

Receipts.

Spirits Turpentine	40
Rosin	61
Tar	29
Crude Turpentine	100

Receipts same day last year, 29 casks turpentine; 72 barrels rosin; 13 barrels tar; 99 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—Nominal.

Same day last year, nominal.

Receipts—(—) bales; same day last year, 1 bale.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, June 10th.)

PEANUTS—Virginias, .90 to $1.00 per bu.; North Carolinas, $1.50@$1.60; Spanish $1.15@$1.25.

CORN—Firm; 68 to .70 per bu.

PEAS—White black-eye, $2.50; white lady finger, $2.75; clay peas, $1.75 per bushel, dull.

POTATOES—Yams, 90 to $1.00 per bu.; Irish potatoes, new crop, $1.25 per bu.

BEEF—On foot, .06@.04 per lb.

Pork—Net, small, .09@.10 per lb.

WOOL—Burry, .12@.15 per lb.; free of burr, .18@.20 per lb.

HIDES—Green, .07 per lb.; dry, .11 per lb.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON—Hams, old, 17c. per lb.; sides and shoulders, 12 to 13½ per lb.

BEESWAX—Firm; .27 per lb.

TALLOW—Firm; .04½@.05 per lb.

POULTRY—Turkeys, out of season. Chickens, grown, .40@.50 per head; chickens, spring, .20@.35 per head; Geese, .50 per head.

EGGS—Dull; .18 per doz.

SHEEP—Lambs, $2.50 to $3.00 per head; grown sheep, .90 to $2.25.

NAVAL STORES.

New York, June 12.—Rosin, quiet. Turpentine, easy.

Savannah, June 12.—Turpentine, firm, at 50½. Sales, 924; receipts, 722; shipments, 395; stocks, 18,514. Rosin—Firm. Sales, 2,217; receipts, 2,085; shipments, 2,995; stocks, 79,670. Quote: B, 6.10@6.20; D, 6.90@6.70; E, 6.65@6.80; F, 6.65@6.85; G, 6.80@6.90; H, 6.82½@6.90; I, 6.82½@6.90; K, 6.85@6.90; M, 6.90@7.00; N, 7.00@7.15; W G, 7.10@7.22½; W W, 7.20@7.27½.

Charleston, June 12.—Turpentine, firm, at 51@51½. Rosin—Firm. Quote: B, 6.22½; D, 6.72½; E, 6.80; F, 6.82½; G and H, 6.95; I, K and M, 6.97½; N, 7.10; W G, 7.20; W W, 7.25.

Petersburg Peanut Market.

(Furnished by Rodgers, McCabe & Co.)

Farmers' Spanish—Quiet, at $1.27½ per bushel. Shelled Spanish—No. 1, Spanish, shelled, 7c. per lb.; No. 2, Spanish, shelled, 5½c. to 5¾c. per lb. Virginias—Firm. Bunch, 4½c. to 4¾c. per lb. Fancy hand-picked, 3¾c. to 4c. per lb. Prime, 3¼c. to 3½c. per lb.; Machine picked, 3¼c. to 3½c. per lb. Shelling stock, 2¾c. to 3¼c. per lb.

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GAINS IN STOCK MARKET

Trading Was Active and Prices Advanced Vigorously Throughout Day—Demand Included Entire List — Features.

New York, June 12.—For a time following the opening of the stock market today trading was active and prices advanced vigorously. The demand included virtually the entire list of stocks, and the market appeared to be well established on a level which showed substantial gains. This advantage was held fairly well during the first hour, with no appearance of the pressure which had been exerted so steadily during recent days as to give rise to various reports of the operations of a powerful bear clique. Before noon, however, selling was resumed on a heavy scale and the tone of the market changed suddenly. United States Steel and the Gould stocks exhibited marked weakness, and nearly all of the important railroad and industrial issues shared in a reaction which cancelled gains and in some cases resulted in net losses. During the remainder of the day the market was dull and trading largely professional in character. Toward the close, trading became more active, and prices were bid up sharply.

Stocks of the Gould and Southern lines were the weakest in the list. Gould shares reflected the uncertainty as to the action of the directors tomorrow in regard to the dividend on Denver and Rio Grande, preferred. Reports of continued hot, dry weather in the cotton belt, despite predictions of rain, depressed the shares of Southern roads. Almost the only stocks to exhibit sustained strength were those of the copper group. Amalgamated Copper, Anaconda, Utah Copper, Tennessee Copper and American Smelting all responded to the improvement in the copper metal market, and reports of large domestic and foreign demand. The conflicting movements in the market today represented a continuance of the hesitation and alternate periods of strength and weakness which were prevalent throughout last week. Uncertainty as to the outcome of investigations of corporations and as to the maintenance of dividend rates, reports of the effect of drought in the South and the Southwest and disquieting accounts of the determination of powerful operators to "break" the market, particularly United States Steel, are advanced in explanation of the sensitive condition of the market. All these are facts which doubtless have their part in the speculation operations. Underlying them, however, is the belief that the outlook for the general industrial situation is still clouded.

The annual report of Westinghouse Electric showing a new high record for both gross and net earnings had little effect on the stock, which declined sharply after an early rise. The stock shared in the recent improvement of Electrical sares and the announcement that no dividend would be paid at present, prevented a further gain.

Bonds were irregular. Total sales for the day, 499,000 sares.

CLOSING STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers, pfd	31½
Amalgamated Copper	69¼
American Agricultural	58
American Beet Sugar	35½
American Can	11¾
American Car and Foundry	56½
American Cotton Oil	53¾
American Hide and Leather, pfd	24⅛
American Ice Securities	20½
American Linseed	11
American Locomotive	41¾
American Smelting and Refining	82⅝
American Smelting and Refining, pfd	106½
American Steel Foundries	42
American Sugar Refining	120½
American Tel and Tel	151¾
American Tobacco, pfd	95
American Woolen	33
Anaconda Mining Co	40½
Atchison	115⅝
Atchison, pfd	105
Atlantic Coast Line	130
Baltimore and Ohio	107⅝
Bethlehem Steel	32¼
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	81¼
Canadian Pacific	242⅜
Central Leather	32
Central Leather, pfd	101½
Central of New Jersey	280
Chesapeake and Ohio	83⅞
Chicago and Alton	28
Chicago Great Western	23⅞
Chicago Great Western, pfd	45⅝
Chicago and North Western	149
Chicago, Mil and St. Paul	129
C., C., C. and St. Louis	90
Colorado Fuel and Iron	35
Colorado and Southern	53
Consolidated Gas	147
Corn Products	14⅞
Delaware and Hudson	173
Denver and Rio Grande	20½
Denver and Rio Grande, pfd	62¾
Distillers' Securities	37
Erie	37⅛
Erie, 1st pfd	57⅝
Erie, 2nd pfd	46⅝
General Electric	164
Great Northern, pfd	139¼
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	62¼
Illinois Central	141¾
Interborough-Met	19
Interborough-Met., pfd	52¼
Inter-Harvester	123⅜
Inter-Marine, pfd	17½
International Paper	11
International Pump	41⅝
Iowa Central	18⅝
Kansas City Southern	36⅜
Kansas City Southern, pfd	69
Laclede Gas	107⅞
Louisville and Nashville	151⅜
Minneapolis and St. Louis	30
Minn., St. P. and Sault Ste Marie	138
Missouri, Kansas and Texas	36½
Missouri, Kan. and Texas, pfd	67
Missouri Pacific	50¼
National Biscuit	125
National Lead	56¼
Nat. Rys of Mexico, 2nd pfd	30½
New York Central	110¼
New York, Ontario and Western	44⅜
Norfolk and Western	107⅝
North American	75½
Northern Pacific	136½
Pacific Mail	25
Pennsylvania	124⅞
People's Gas	106⅝
Pittsburg, C. C. and St. Louis	94½
Pittsburg Coal	21⅜
Pressed Steel Car	36½
Pullman Palace Car	161½
Railway Steel Spring	37½
Reading	159⅞
Republic Steel	30¼
Republic Steel, pfd	95¼
Rock Island Co	23⅜
Rock Island Co., pfd	66
St. Louis and San Fran., 2nd pfd	46⅞
St. Louis Southwestern	32
St. Louis Southwestern, pfd	69
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	49⅜
Southern Pacific	121
Southern Railway	32⅜
Southern Railway, pfd	72
Tennessee Copper	43¼
Texas and Pacific	29½
Toledo, St. Louis and Western	22¼
Toledo, St. Louis and Western, pfd	50½
Union Pacific	180¼
Union Pacific, pfd	94¼
United States Realty	77
United States Rubber	40¼
United States Steel	77⅞
United States Steel, pfd	118¾
Utah Copper	49⅝
Virginia-Carolina Chemical	39⅜
Wabash	17¼
Wabash, pfd	39
Western Maryland	60¾
Westinghouse Electric	76¼
Western Union	81¾
Wheeling and Lake Erie	4

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, June 12.—The cotton goods markets opened quiet, with prices holding steady. Cotton yarns were quiet. There was a slightly better demand for staple dress goods for immediate shipment to cutters. Raw silk is quiet. Jobbers are doing a very moderate hand-to-hand trade and are finding no difficulty in holding prices, as production is very much restricted.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture, Weather Bureau.

Wilmington, N. C., June 13.

Meteorological data for the 24 hours ending at 8 A. M., Monday, June 12th:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 80 degrees; at 8 P. M., 79 degrees; maximum, 96 degrees; minimum, 75 degrees; mean, 86 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .00 inch; for the month, 1.45 inches.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river, at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., Monday, 2.1. feet.

Weather Forecast.

For North Carolina—Fair Tuesday, preceded by showers in eastern portions; Wednesday, fair; moderate west winds.

Port Calendar—June 13.

Sun Rises	5:00 A. M.
Sun Sets	7:24 P. M.
Day's Length	14 hrs. 24 min.
High water at Southport	9:05 A. M.
High water at Wilmington	12:55 A. M.

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS.

June 12, 1911.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest Today.	Temperature: Lowest Last Night.	24-Hour Precipitation 8 P. M.
Abilene	pt cldy	98	72	.0
Asheville	pt cldy	86	64	.0
Atlanta	cloudy	92	74	.0
Augusta	cloudy	94	78	.0
Birmingham	clear	94	72	.0
Boston	—	—	54	—
Charleston	cloudy	94	76	.0
Charlotte	cloudy	94	74	.0
Chicago	cloudy	72	58	.04
Galveston	pt cldy	94	76	.0
Jacksonville	pt cldy	92	74	.0
Memphis	clear	86	70	.0
Mobile	clear	94	78	.0
Montgomery	clear	98	74	.0
New Orleans	clear	98	76	.0
New York	cloudy	74	60	1.34
Palestine	pt cldy	98	76	.0
Oklahoma	clear	92	64	.0
Pittsburg	clear	80	66	.50
Raleigh	cloudy	90	72	.08
Savannah	raining	94	76	.0
Shreveport	pt cldy	98	74	.0
St. Louis	cloudy	78	66	.0
Washington	cloudy	88	68	1.02

THE GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, June 12.—Savage selling to put an end to loss ripped the top off the market for wheat today. With big shipments of the new grain heading for Kansas City, and with the harvest area rapidly widening, owners here became half frenzied when a bull clique which was supposed to have closed out a load of 10,000,000 bushels accumulated in the May deal here, began a fresh selling movement directed chiefly against the July delivery. That option broke more than 3 cents a bushel in addition to 5 cents decline last week and closed unsettled, 2¼@2¾ down, as compared with Saturday night. Other monthse at the end of the trading were off 1@1⅛ to 1⅝c. net. Latest Figures showed corn ⅛ down to ¼c. up; oats, ¼@⅝c. to 1½c. advance, and provisions denser by 2½@27½c.

Wheat—No. 2, red, 86¼@89½; No. 3, red, 84@88; No. 2, hard, 87½@91; No. 3, hard, 84@89; No. 1, Northern, 94@99; No. 2, Northern, 92@96; No. 3, northern, 90@94; No. 2, spring, 90@94; No. 3, spring, 88@92; velvet chaff, 85@92; durum, 85@89.

Corn—No. 2, 54½@55; No. 2, white, 54½@55¼; No. 2, yellow, 54¾@55¾; No. 3, 54¼@55½; No. 3, white, 54½@54¾; No. 3, yellow, 54½@54¾; No. 4, 49½@50½; No. 4, white, 49¾@51; No. 4, yellow, 49½@51¾.

Oats—No. 2, 36½@37½; No. 2, white, 38¾@39; No. 3, white, 37½@38¼; No. 4, white, 37½@38; standard, 38¼@38¾.

Wheat:	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
July	88¾	89½	85⅞	86½
Sept	88⅛	88⅞	86	86⅝
Dec	90	90¼	89	88⅞
Corn:				
July	55	55⅝	54½	54⅝
Sept	56¼	57¼	56	56¼
Dec	55½	56⅛	54⅞	55⅛
Oats:				
July	38¼	38⅝	37⅞	38⅛
Sept	39¼	39⅝	38⅛	39⅛
Dec	40⅜	41	40	40⅛

Mess Pork, per barrel:

July	15.22½	15.40	15.17½	15.40
Sept	14.92½	15.15	14.92½	15.15

Lard, per 100 lbs.:

July	8.20	8.25	8.20	8.25
Sept	8.30	8.37½	8.30	8.37½

Short Ribs, per 100 lbs.:

July	8.17½	8.27½	8.17½	8.27½
Sept	8.15	8.25	8.15	8.22½

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2. For lighting the city with gas and electricity.

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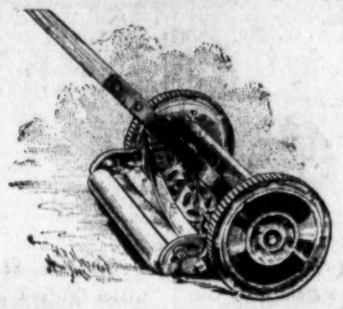

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MANY KNOWN DEAD IN SEVERE STORM

(Continued from Page One.)

ported the loss of all wires between Philadelphia and Baltimore. The change of news between Eastern and Western points had to be made by roundabout routes, and then only with difficulty.

Baltimore in Its Path.

Baltimore, June 12.—A terrific electric storm with hail, rain and wind broke over Baltimore at 6 o'clock tonight putting practically all telegraph and the long distance telephone to the north out of commission and doing thousands of dollars worth of damage to property in the suburbs. This storm was of short duration, but after a brief interval another heavy rain storm set in which still prevailed at a late hour. So far no loss of life has been reported.

Fatal in Philadelphia.

Philadelphia, June 12.—Three persons were killed, several seriously injured, wires prostrated, trees uprooted and buildings demaged by an electrical storm tonight.

THE CLEVELAND EXPERIMENT.

James F. Jackson Tells of Removing Workhouse from City.

Boston, June 12.—The experiment of the city of Cleveland in removing its city prison or workhouse from the city to the country was explained by James F. Jackson, general superintendent of charities and correction of that city, in an address on the farm treatment of misdemeanants before the section on "Law Breakers" of the National Conference of Charities and Correction here this morning. The success and satisfaction attending the location of charitable institutions in the country led Cleveland to make this experiment with penal institutions.

"The farm policy," said the speaker, "is to give to each man the largest degree of liberty consistent with the wellbeing of others. The ultimate purpose is to employ as many without the walls as possibly can be trusted, and to employ out-doors within the walls all the remainedr except those whose conduct imperatively demands closest supervision. No key is turned on these men during the day. The night guard and the locked door are more to remove temptation than to prevent escape. Prisoners arrive a typical Bridewell company, drunken, dirty, diseased, and discouraged; they go away bronzed, accustomed to work, with a new determination and a new grip. Of course, some return. We do not assume to be proof against all the wiles of the world, the flesh, and the devil. The farm prison is no panacea, nor does the country present an alchemy which converts men into angels. This is amply attested by the record of most diabolical crimes committed by countrybred men who would not know a skyscraper from a subway. The country is the place for the prisoner for the very obvious reason that is affords plenty of light, pure air, a variety of good food, and opportunity for productive occupation for the prisoners.

Superintendent Jackson announced his belief that a prison should be conducted for the purpose of making men for the State, and not to make money for the State.

HORSE SHOW AT OLYMPIA.

Appearance of American Army Officers Interesting Event.

London, June 12.—The most interesting event at the opening of the International Horse Show at Olympia, today, was the appearance in the ring of the American army officers, Major Frederick Foltz, 15th cavalry, U. S. A., and other American officers, while the performances of their horses in the open jumping competition over the course were by no means perfect, expressed themselves as satisfied with the results attained. The competition, they said, had given horses and men training so that it comes to the military contests, the main object of their coming over to London, they would be able to do their best. The Americans failed on prizes, but their performances were exceedingly commendable. Several of the Americans took part in the day's events and in the evening Capt. Guy V. Henry, of West Point, appeared on Enchantress and Lieut. Adna Chaffee on Chignet. The latter showed good form, but unfortunately balked at several of the fences the first time up. Tonight Major Foltz, in reply to questions, said that the quality of the horses exhibited by other countries was sufficient answer to the charge that the Americans had scoured the country for the best horses.

The veteran footman, Tuppin, who has thrice been successful a Olympia, and eight times at the Richmond show in the horn blowing contes, was beaten oday by the 16 footman of H. C. Moore.

STRIKE OF BOILER MAKERS.

Baldwin Employers and Employes to Hold Conference.

Philadelphia, June 12.—The attempt of the management of the Baldwin Locomotive Works, where a strike began last week, to resume work in all departments today met with only partial success. It is estimated that only about 2,000 men out of 10,000 reported for work. The departments closed today are the boiler, flane, paint and flue shops.

The machine shop is working almost normal. The union leaders directing the strike express hope that an amicable adjustment of differences will soon be reached. A committee of the strikers will seek a conference with the management today.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Lumina—Souvenir Dance.
American National Bank—Some Day.

Business Locals.

Wanted—To Rent.
J. T. Sholar—For Sale.
Wanted—Position by Lady.
Wanted—Position as Salesman.
E. Warren & Son—Peach Ice Cream.
Wilmington Iron Works—Horse Weights.
Wilmington Carriage Works—Just Arrived.
For Sale—Honschold and Kitchen Furniture.
Southern Automobile College—Special June Offer.

BIG FOUR EMBEZZLEMENT.

Trial of Edgar S. Cooke Has Begun at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Ohio, June 12.—The procuring of a jury, preliminary statements by attorneys and the examination of three witnesses from New York, relative to certain deposits, marked the opening day of the trial of Edgar S. Cooke, on the charge of having embezzled $24,000 from the treasurer's office of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis Railroad. Denis F. Cash, assistant prosecuting agent, declared in the opening statement for the State, that it would be shown that Cook had given to a woman $22,000, taken from the Big Four Railroad. According to Cash, the "woman in the case" took the money to New York where Cooke afterwards joined her.

Charles W. Baker, attorney for Cooke, asserted that his client had been made a scapegoat to protect the company from punishment for rebating.

Baker said the officials of the Big Four railroad were suspected of taking millions of dollars from the treasury to give to favored shippers in violation of Federal laws.

"If the truth were known," said Baker, "Warriner did not take $643,000 as charged, but he probably took $1,643,000 or $2,643,000, but he took it for the purposes of the railroad.

The charges against Cooke were the outcome of the embezzlement of $643,000 from the Big Four by Charles L. Warriner now serving a six-year sentence in the Ohio penitentiary. Warriner has been brought to this city from Columbus to testify in the trial of Cooke.

Another witness who will testify is Mrs. Jeannette Stewart Ford, whose name was mentioned by Warriner as receiving a large part of the money taken from the railroad company.

BIG WHITE HOUSE EVENT.

Marriage Anniversary Reception of President and Mrs. Taft Soon.

Washington, June 12.—The reception which the President and Mrs. Taft will give on June 19th, the 25th anniversary of their marriage, probably will be the most largely attended function ever given in the White House. More than 3,000 invitations have already been sent and it is estimated that 4,000 will be invited and that of these at least three-fourths will attend.

At the silver wedding celebration refreshments will be served; there will be dancing in the East Room and an "overflow" garden party in the White House grounds.

The guest list will include friends and acquaintances of the President and Mrs. Taft from all parts of the country.

The reception will begin at 9 o'clock and last for several hours.

Mrs. Taft unhappily will not be present for the physicians wish her to avoid excitement. Miss Helen Taft will stand by her father's side to receive the guests.

All the members of the President's family and of Mrs. Taft's family—she was Miss Helen Herron, of Cincinnati—will be house guests at the celebration. "Aunt Delia" Torrey, of Milbury, Mass., will be among the specially honored guests.

On the afternoon of the 19th the President will be the guest of the Cincinnati Chamber of Commerce at a luncheon at the Chevy Chase Club. This will be the third silver wedding celebration of a President of the United States and his wife.

SEVERE ELECTRICAL STORM.

Lumberton and Maxton Visited Sunday Afternoon—Live Stock.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

During the severe electrical storm here yesterday afternoon between 4 and 5 o'clock the flag staff on top of the graded school building was struck, the knob on top of the staff being knocked off and the staff being shivered for a short distance from the top. No other damage was done.

At Maxton about the same time a barn belonging to Daniel Leach, colored, on the edge of town, was struck and burned with all its contents, including two horses and four mules. One horse and two mules belonged to Leach, one horse belonged to Daniel McKay, colored, one mule belonged to Mr. Jack Purcell, and a mule and wagon belonging to an Indian named Oxendine, were burned. The animals that did not belong to Leach had been driven under the barn, out of the rain. Two of the mules were killed outright by lightning. Three Indians who were in the barn were shocked, one of them—Luther Oxendine—severely though not seriously.

ASSAULTED OUR VICE CONSUL.

Colombians Are Sentenced to Prison for Their Offense.

Bogota, Colombia, June 12. — The two Colombians who in the Summer of 1909, seriously stabbed William B. MacMaster, the American vice consul at Cartagena, were today sentenced to imprisonment, one for fourteen years and the other for six years.

Mr. MacMaster is a Colombian by birth, but was appointed to his post from New York. At the time of the assault there was some anti-American feeling in Colombia and Mr. MacMaster became involved in a dispute with Mario Lara Cordova, an editor and Abellarde Aberrera, which resulted in the assault of which the two men were convicted.

Wins Fight for Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Mershon, of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages, and was very weak and run-down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, la grippe, asthma, hay-fever or any throat or lung trouble it is supreme. 50c. and $1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by R. R. Bellamy.

"Twilight."

Beautiful new ballad sung by Mr. Harry Tally—Grand Theatre today. **

AGAINST UNITED FRUIT CO.

Injunction Prohibits It From Buying Stock in Bluefields Company.

New Orleans, June 12.—In an opinion handed down late today in the United States Circuit Court, Judge Rufus E. Foster, perpetuated an injunction against the United Fruit Co., which prohibits that company from voting any stock which it owns in the Bluefields Steamship Company. The Bluefields Steamship Company, one of the largest fruit importing concerns in the country was thrown into receivership more than a year ago on the petition of Frederick M. Steele, of Chicago, a large stockholder, who alleged that the company was practically under the control of the United Fruit Company and that through the purchase of the Bluefields concern they had succeeded in stifling competition. The question was referred to a master who sustained the allegations of Steele in many particulars.

Judge Foster upheld the findings of the master and continued the receivership.

At the same time he ordered that an election of officers of the Bluefields company be held under the supervision of the court.

KILLING NEAR MAXTON.

Negro on Col. E. F. MacRae's Place Kills Another.

(Lumberton Robesonian.)

Sam Pugh, colored, was brought to jail here this morning by G. H. McCallum, a special deputy, of Maxton, charged with the murder of Arthur Proctor McRae, colored, known as "Bunk" McRae, Saturday night on a place near Maxton belonging to Col. E. F. MacRae. The dead man was shot in the stomach with a shotgun and lived three or four hours after he was shot. He was shot near Pugh's home and was hauled away after the shooting. Coroner G. E. Rancke went to Maxton las night and held inquest about 2 o'clock this morning. The jury found that the dead man came to his death by a gunshot wound inflicted by Pugh and Pugh was arrested this morning by Messrs. J. C. Smith and G. H. McCallum. It is thought that the shooting was the result of a quarrel about a woman.

W. F. M. CONFERENCE.

Adjourns at Lexington With Election of Officers.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Lexington, N. C., June 12.—The Woman's Missionary Conference adjourned this afternoon with $14,405 pledged to support missionary and extension work. Officers elected are: President, Mrs. Lucy H. Robertson, Greensboro; honorary vice president, Mrs. J. E. Ray, Asheville; first vice president and superintendent of juvenile work, Mrs. G. G. Harley, Asheville; second vice president and superintendent Young People's work, Mrs. L. H. Harris, Greensboro. Two other vice presidents and 12 district secretaries were elected also, and a commissioner appointed to confer with the commission home mission society regarding the unification of the two societies.

COLONIAL RECORDS.

Copies Now Ready—Regimental Histories Are Available in Counties.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 9.—Please call the attention of weekly newspapers to the fact that two volumes of index to Colonial Records, are now ready for delivery, they extend from A to L inclusive. Also call the attention of the people of our State to the fact that in the Superior Court clerk's office of each county in North Carolina, there is a set of Colonial and State Records, of 26 volumes; five volumes of North Carolina regimental histories, and four volumes of North Carolina Rosters of Troops war of 1861-65, in the custody of the clerk of Superior Court for the use and benefit of the people of the county and State.

Yours truly,
MILES O. SHERRILL,
State Librarian.

BALE SOLD FOR $1,015.

New Cotton Brought Record Price at Houston Yesterday.

Houston, Tex., June 12.—Establishing a new record by 11 days for first appearance of the new cotton crop, a bale of Cameron countay staple was received on the Houston Cotton Exchange today. It grew on the farm of Ernest Matz and will be sold to the highest bidder. Part of the bale's journey from Cameron county to Houston was made on a special train, because it was reported other "first bales" were en route for the exchange.

The cotton was sold at $2.05.84 per pound, the total weight being 493 pounds and the price $1,015. This was the highest price ever paid on the Houston exchange for a bale of cotton. It was classed as "strict middling."

Sedalia, Mo., June 12.—The harvesting of wheat began in Central Missouri today. The grain is in excellent condition. The average yield is estimated at 15 bushels to the acre.

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GOVERNOR OFFERS REWARD.

Four Hundred Dollars for Murderer of Mrs. Hill—Notes.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., June 12.—Governor Kitchin announces a reward of $400 for the unknown murderer of Mrs. Jane Hill, of Lexington, whose lifeless body was found tied to the bedpost and gagged in her room at the home of her parents in Jamestown, Guilford county, last week. No clues are known to have been discovered.

There is also a reward of $150 for William Lawrence, colored, who is wanted in Halifax county for wife murder. This crime was committed May 27th.

Annual memorial services were held Sunday afternoon by the Odd Fellows of Raleigh in honor of Odd Fellows that died during the past year. The principal address was delivered by Governor W. W. Kitchin, and the eulogy was by Past Master Willis G. Briggs, postmaster at Raleigh.

ODD FELLOWS MEMORIAL.

Service Will Be Held in the Assembly Hall This Evening.

Members of the four local lodges of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows will gather in their assembly hall in the Odd Fellows' building, corner Third and Princess streets, this evening, for the purpose of honoring the memory of those members who have passed away during the year. The service will begin at 8:30 o'clock and the public is cordially invited to attend. Rev. C. F. Whitlock is the speaker of the occasion and a splendid address is anticipated. A fine musical programme has been arranged.

BUSINESS LOCALS

Advertisements inserted under this head one cent per word for each insertion, but no advertisement taken for less than 25c. Additional words, more than 25, one cent per word. Unless the advertiser has a regular account, all advertisements under this head are STRICTLY CASH IN ADVANCE, the amounts being too small to warrant a charge. The Star will send without charge, A. D. T. (Western Union) Messenger to any address in the city for advertisements in this department upon request by 'Phone to No. 51. A. D. T. Messenger will also call for telegrams for the Western Union Telegraph Company, or for notes or small packages to be delivered anywhere in the city. No charge for the telegrams, but a small charge for strictly A. D. T. calls or telephone subscribers may at any time telephone their telegrams, bills rendered to suit the sender daily, weekly or monthly. For this service, call Western Union, 'Phone No. 2. But for advertisements, always call the Star office, No. 51. Copy for Business Locals cannot be taken over the telephone—but upon request Messenger will be dispatched to any part of the city for them.

FOR SALE at a sacrifice, household and kitchen furniture. Owners leaving town. Apply 505 Chestnut street, or 'phone 1656. je13-1t

THE SOUTHERN AUTOMOBILE COLLEGE, Oak Ridge, N. C., affords unequaled opportunities in automobile engineering. Write for special June offer. Graduates aided to positions without charge. je13-6t

PEACH ICE CREAM today; made from delicious soft Florida peaches; also peaches by basket. E. Warren & Son, 'phone 576. je13-1t*

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WANTED—To rent, furnished house for July and August. Give location and particulars. Address E. D. Sloan, Winnsboro, S. C. je13-2t

AN EXPERIENCE, common-sense lady desires a position of light bookkeeping or combination of bookkeeping and cashier. Address "Lady," care Star. je13-2t*

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FOR RENT—Third floor of building on corner of Front and Princess streets, over A. Shrier's store. Wright's Real Estate Agency. je11-2t

FOR SALE—One of the nicest cottages in the city; large lot; centrally located, on car line, and is worth more than we ask for it. Wright's Real Estate Agency. je11-2t

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WANTED—To rent a cottage on Wrightsville Beach for the month of July or August. Address "Seaside," Bennettsville, S. C. je3-10t*

SEASIDE INN—Now open for guests. No. 505, between stations 5 and 6, Wrightsville Beach. je11-6t

SOUND COTTAGE—Wanted to rent for month of July, five to eight-room cottage, furnished or unfurnished, on Wrightsville Sound. Address, stating price, condition, proximity to car line and any other information. "Sound," care Star. je7-3t

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RESOURCES:

Loans and Discounts	$3,823,626.80
U. S. Bonds (at par)	551,000.00
Bank Building	25,000.00
Bonds and Other Securities	80,975.00
Cash and Due by Banks	991,708.28
Total	$5,471,410.08

LIABILITIES:

Capital Stock	$ 825,000.00
Surplus and Net Profits	461,591.23
Circulation	550,000.00
U. S. Bond Account	100,000.00
Due Banks	100,000.00
Deposits	3,431,818.85
Total	$5,471,410.08

DEPOSITS:

June 7th, 1909	$2,649,336.27
June 7th, 1910	$3,003,487.06
June 7th, 1911	$3,431,818.85

H. C. McQUEEN.....President
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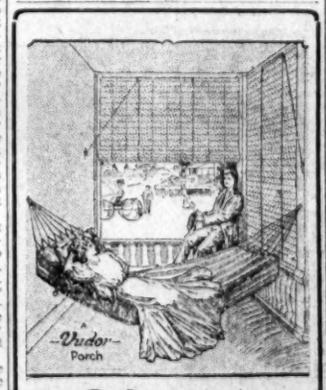

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RESOURCES.

Demand Loans	$ 36,085.00
Loans	745,107.27
North Carolina Bonds	25,000.00
All other bonds	4,200.00
Furniture and Fixtures	100.00
Real Estate	25,500.00
Due from Banks	32,271.15
Cash Items	15.00
Gold Coin	535.00
Silver Coin	417.31
Currency	4,389.00
Total	$873,619.73

LIABILITIES.

Certificates of Deposit	$116,370.64
Savings Deposits	606,871.03
Dividends unpaid	43.00
Certified Checks	2,020.00
Capital	50,000.00
Surplus Fund	50,000.00
Undivided Net Profits	48,315.06
Total	$873,619.73

I, Milton Calder, Cashier of the Atlantic Trust & Banking Company, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MILTON CALDER,
Cashier.

Correct-Attest:
B. O. STONE,
JOHN H. KUCK,
JURGEN HAAR,
Directors.

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,
COUNTY OF NEW HANVER,

Sworn to and subscribed before me this 9th day of June, A. D., 1911.

O. W. ARRINGTON,
Notary Public.

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